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# On military cooperation GCC talks set today

By Wahib Ghorab Riyadh Bureau

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RIYADH, March 14 - The chiefs of staff of Gulf Cooperation Council states meet here Monday to discuss ways of strengthening military cooperation among themselves. They also will explore the possibility of programming the spheres of cooperation and drafting the concepts for the bases of this cooperation, which will later be placed before the conference of the GCC defense ministers for study and approval.

Informed sources told Arab News that the chiefs of staff will discuss and study a number of subjects referred to them by the first conference of GCC defense ministers. They also will consider reports prepared by the GCC member states' joint military committees these committees visited Bahrain and Oman recently determine the extent of their need

for military assistance. This was done due to the desire of Gulf states to base security on their self-strength and not on any other

This is the second meeting of the chiefs of staff, earlier, they met preceding the defense ministers, conference held Jan. 25. They are scheduled to submit their recommendations to the GCC secretariat general for their submission to the ministerial council's next meet-

ing.
The GCC's six member states — Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, the United Arab Emirates and Oman — are planning coordinated and unified policies for Gulf armies. This is being done through joint programs for training and preparation, exchange of information, unification of defense policies, reliance on self-strength rejection of foreign protection from any

# Wali Khan, wife among several held in Pakistan

PESHAWAR, March 14 (Agencies) -Pakistani authorities have arrested several leaders of the banned National Democratic Party (NDP) and rounded up a large number of its activists Sunday before a planned public. meeting here, party sources said.

The sources said those arrested included Abdul Wali Khan, a former leader of the

## PLO may seek Soviet arms aid

BEIRUT, March 14 (R) - The editor of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) newspaper Palestine Al-Thaara said Sunday the PLO could call on Soviet and Eastern Wholoc aid to turn an Israeli invasion into defeat

for the Zionist state. Editor Ahmad Abdul-Rahman, who vis-I'l'ited East Germany last week with PLO leader Yarser Arafat, said in a front-page editorial that any Israeli attack on Palestinian bases in south Lebanon could trigger enough Soviet and Socialist support to break the back of Israeli superiority.

The eight-month-old ceasefire in south i chanon has looked increasingly magi recent weeks, though the recent visit of U.S. special envoy Philip Habib helped to reduce



opposition in the National Assembly (lower house), his wife Begum Nasim Wali Khan and the party's secretary-general Ghulam Ahmad Bilour, Armed police cordoned off the meeting venue in the center of Peshawar,

capital of Pakistan's North-West province,

early Sunday and checked all transport enter-

ing the old city. The party planned the meeting, in defiance of a martial law ban on political gatherings, to mourn a former provincial governor, Arbab Sikandar Khan Khalil, who was killed by a gunman last Sunday. Political meetings have been banned since October 1979 when President Muhammad Zia-ul-Haq, outlawed political parties.

The NDP is a member of the main opposition grouping, the Movement for the Resto-ration of Democracy (MRD), which includes the Pakistan People's Party of executed former Prime Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto.

Meanwhile, informed sources said in Islamin do that Frenden: Zhamas inivited the country's politicians to negotiate with the military government for an eventual return to civilian rule.

PARIS, March 14 (R) - France held local

elections Sunday in a poll overshadowed by a

court decision early in the morning against

Hours before the first major test of the

Socialists' popularity since they came to

power last summer, Defferre was found

guilty of defaming Jacques Chirac, president

of the Neo-Gaullist Party and effective leader

The minister was ordered to pay a nominal one franc in damages and fined 1,500 francs

(\$250) for telling an election meeting in

Marseilles that Chirac and two colleagues

had links with a murdered Corsican casino

Even before Sunday's court ruling had highlighted the conflict between left and

right, the cantonal elections for more than

2,000 seats in departmental assemblies had

taken on a new significance. In the past they

were among the least important of elections

for the political parties. But the government's

decentralization law, shortly to take effect,

Interior Minister Gaston Defferre.

of the opposition.

France holds local elections

Paris.

# Kingdom OKs building of Iraqi pipeline

NICOSIO. March 14 (AFP) - Saudi Arabia has agreed in principle to the construction of an Iraqi pipeline which would carry oil across Saudi territory to an oil terminal on the Red Sea, Iraqi Oil Minister

Tayeh Abdel Karim has said. He told the Middle East Economic Survey published here Sunday that talks are being held with Saudi Arabian authorities over finance for the project which he said will be completed before the end of 1982 and will

have a capacity of 1.6 million barrels a day. The minister also said that Kuwait has agreed to another Iraqi pipeline project which would cross Kuwaiti territory and would have an estimated capacity of a million

## U.K. makes MiG spares

LONDON, March 14 (AFP) - British firms are manufacturing and selling "millions of pounds" worth of spare parts for Russian military equipment used by Arab states. it was reported here Sunday.

"Most of the spares are for Russian fighter aircraft such as the MiG 23, which is used by Libya, Syria and Iraq." stated the British weekly The Observer. "But in Egypt, Russian-made ground radar and tanks have also benefited from British expertise...

"In the past three years. British-made aircraft system components including filters. hydraulic actuators, tires, brakes, electrical and hydraulic test trolleys, cabin airconditioners and product support equipment have been sold to Libya, Syria and Iraq.

The Sunday newspaper said Egypt sent a MiG 21 fighter plane to Britain to have it studied by spare parts makers after strained relations with Moscow cut off the supply of Soviet parts, Syria, Iraq and Libya "all have good relations with Moscow, but Puislan delivery dates for military spares...are so slow that in each case an offer of British-made spares has been welcomed," the article said. As Defferre is indicted

# Niger leader

dent Seyni (Hussain) Kountche of Niger arrived here Sunday from Jeddah on a state visit to the Kingdom.

He was welcomed at the airport by King Khaled, Prince Abdullah, the second deputy premier and commander of the National Guard, Prince Sattam, the deputy governor of Rivadh.

In an arrival statement, President Kountche described the relations between Niger and the Kingdom as "exemplary

He said the two countries share identical views on many issues. He said the visit will concentrate on a number of Islamic, Arab and African issues and means of consolidating bilateral relations. "The visit will also review the Afro-Arab coop-

## ANC's office in U.K. hit

LONDON. March 14 (AFP) - A bomb early Sunday destroyed the London office of the African National Congress, the main unofficial opposition movement to the South African government, but caused no casual-

A spokesman for Scotland Yard said the explosion was caused by a five kg (11 pounds) bomb planted behind the three-story building in Islington, north London. Noone immediately claimed responsibility for the blast in the ground-floor office of ANC. which is banned in South Africa.

Police are searching for a man seen in the area early Sunday. But said he was not a vital suspect. The explosion occurred at 9 a.m. when the street was practically deserted.

A member of the ANC staff who occupied a top-floor apartment in the building was slightly injured by flying glass. He had to e and out his window across rooftops to a neighboring building because the staircase had been blown away.

### Zhivkov arrives in Kuwait today

KUWAIT, March 14 (R) — Bulgarian President Todor Zhivkov begins a three-day official visit to Kuwait Monday, only the second by an East European head of state to the

Kuwaiti Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs Abdel-Aziz Hussein said Sunday that President Zhivkov would discuss relations between the two countries and Arab world issues with the Emir. Sheikh Jaber Al-Ahmed Ai-Sabah.

# King greets Depression looms large over U.S.

WASHINGTON, March 14 (R) - The United States could face a wave of major bankruptcies and an economic depression unless urgent action is taken in the next three months, according to some economic forecas-

With increasing frequency, even cautious economists are leaving room in their forecasts for the possibility of a depression. "It is rather disturbing. People would not

have even talked about that word six months ago," said David Jones, top forecaster for New York investment company Aubrey Lan-

In a series of interviews, private economists told Reuters that President Ronald Reagan, Congress or the Federal Reserve Board — the independent U.S. central bank - will have to take major steps to rescue the

President Reagan's budget proposals project a deficit of \$91.5 billion for the next financial year, and similarly high shortfalls for years to come. The prospect of such deficits, the experts say, has terrified financial markets and applied steady upward pressure on U.S. interest rates, already standing at a steep 16.5 percent.

The commitment of the central bank, the Fed. -- to slow monetary growth leaves little new capital for economic recovery, and this also tends to push interest rates up. The economists note that Congress has little if any control over the Fed and must try to cope with the economic dilemma by rewriting the president's budget.

But Reagan has steadfastly refused to consider any proposals that would tamper either with this tax cut program or with his build-up of defense, two major factors contributing to his large deficit projections.

None of the alternatives to the president's budget so far offered has attracted enough support in Congress from his fellow Republicans and opposition Democrats to override his objections. Financial markets have reacted strongly to this impasse.

The Dow Jones industrial average of prices for 30 leading industrial shares has fallen about 55 points to below the 800 level since the president's budget was first leaked to the press in the first week of February

Otto Eckstein, head of the consulting firm Data Resources, says in his latest forecast: "It is quite unrealistic to suppose that Congress can rescue the budget in the face of presi-dent's obduracy. George MacKinney, senior economist for Irving Trust Bank in New York, says: "As long as (interest) rates remain high, the potential for major and widespread bankruptcies will increase."

The Reagan administration has for the past year forecast a decline in interest rates, but Jones and McKinney are not very hopeful about short-term interest rate trends.

Jones believes the rate will fall to 12 or 14 percent by the end of the year, while McKinney sees rates starting to rise in the autumn. Even Alan Greenspan, a New York economist who advises President Reagan, sees risks in present policies. "The extreme form of this scenario (depression induced by high interest rates) still has a low probability, but it should no longer be put in the bizarre category." he said recently in testimony to Congress.

### Ruling party favored

### Indonesia launches poll drive JAKARTA, March 14 (AFP) -

Indonesia, with the world's largest Muslim population, opens its 45-day general election campaign Monday with little doubt that the ruling Golkar Party will win. This will also ensure the re-election of President Suharto in

Despite incidents in the 1973 and 1977 general elections, there is today an atmosparties fight for votes May 4. There are 1,754 candidates for the 460-seat House of People's Representatives, made up of 360 elected members and 100 government nominees, including 75 from the armed

Indonesia's 82 million voters will have to endure a \$230-million campaign as politicians woo them at nation-wide rallies and meetings, using the country's state television networks and 600 radio stations. The main rivals are the pro-Western ruling Golkar Party, the Muslim United Party for Development (PPP) and the Indonesian Democratic Party (PDI). In the last General election May 2, 1977

Golkar won an overall majority with 39.750.000 votes (62 percent) under Indonesia's proportional representation sys-President Suharto has allocated the two

main opposition parties a total of \$320,000 mainly for use in rural areas, inhabited by the bulk of the nation's population of 147 mil-A Golkar party spokesman said that he was

not in a position to reveal the amount of its campaign fund, but a PPP leader accused it of receiving subsidies from all sorts of enterprises. The PPP press has accused government ministers of having already launched a 'veiled" pre-election campaign before its official opening Monday in the nation's schools, factories and above all in the villages.

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Candidates in Sunday's first round of voting must take 50 percent of the vote to be

sibility by ending the system of control from

elected outright and a second round next Sunday will decide those seats where there is no immediate winner. The decision against Defferre followed a protracted wrangle over whether the court was competent to hear the case. Defferre's counsel said government ministers should be tried by the high court of iustice. Defferre said later that he would appeal against the verdict.

It was the second time in elections this year that a pre-poll legal ruling has distracted electors from the issue of how successful the government has been in carrying out its program of radical reforms. Two months ago, byelections which were not expected to be a guide to the standing of the government were overshadowed by a ruling just a few hours before voting began that the Socialists' nationalization bill was contrary to the constitution and would have to be modified.

Opposition parties took all four seats at issue, three of which had been won by the left last June. However, Defferre pointed out at the time that the right had previously held all four continuously since 1958.

The increased significance of Sunday's elections is marked by the candidature in local ballots of leading national figures, including Chirac, five government ministers and former President Valery Giscard d'Esta-

Giscard d'Estaing is returning to the political scene for the first time since his election defeat at the hands of President François Mitterrand last May.



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## India invites investors

Arab News Staff

JEDDAH, March 14 — A high level Indian delegation sponsored by the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, which arrived Saturday, met with the directors of Jeddah Chamber of Commerce and Industry Sunday to boost Saudi investments in India.

Sheikh Ismail Abu Dawood, president of JCCL welcomed the nine-member Indian team headed by Rama Prasad Goenka, chairman of Indo-Arab Joint Business Council (Indian section) and later hosted a lunch for the guests.

After the meeting, Goenka told Arab News that the purpose of the visit was to inform the businessmen here of the recent liberalizations made by the Indian government to

## Korean official holds meetings

RIYADH, March 14 (SPA) - Dr. Ghazi Algosaibi, minister of industry and electricity, conferred Sunday with Suh Suk-Joon. South Korean minister of industry and commerce. The talks, which took place at the headquarters of the Saudi Basic Industries Corporation (SABIC), covered Saudi-Korean joint projects in industry, services

and contracting. Earlier in the day, Petroleum and Minerals Minister Sheikh Ahmad Zaki Yamani met with the Korean minister. The meeting dealt with a number of issues of mutual interest. The Korean minister arrived here Friday on a few days' visit.

attract investments from OPEC countries. It offers special facilities and incentives for investors from oil exporting countries, for which certain industries have been identified

He said, the Indo-Arab Joint Business Council was set up in January, 1978, to expand cooperation in the field of commercial exchanges and trade; set up joint ventures; increase India's participation in construction and engineering projects in Arab countries; and promote investments in India by the oil exporting countries.

So far three meetings have been organized under its aegis. This current visit is a followup of the last meeting of the council held in

New Delhi November, 1981, he added. Goenka said, the delegation represents a wide spectrum and covers engineering items. electronics, rubber products, chemicals, textiles, jute, airconditioning and refrigeration, banking, pipeline construction, furniture and supply of skilled manpower and managerial

He said that due to the liberalization of investment procedures, there is 1 now ample scope for stepping up investments by Arab countries in the fields of fertilizers, cement, agro-based industries, electrical equipment, industrial machinery, transportation, machine tools and scientific instruments.

The government also will sympathetically consider further relaxations in specific cases, he added.

The members of the delegation will have individual meetings with businessmen in Jeddah and Rivadh to explore the possibilities of joint ventures attracting Saudi investments into Indian industries and for transfer of the sub-continent's technology for industries in the Kingdom.

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## Six agricultural projects approved

RIYADH, March 14 (SPA) - Agriculture and Water Minister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh Sunday approved six new agricultural projects at an estimated cost of more than SR21 million.

Four projects will be set up for the production of vegetables in greenhouses in an area of 30 donums in Kharj at a cost of more than SR 10 million. One project each will be set up in Khamis Mushayt and Dharma for the production of 14 million and 12 million eggs annually at a total cost of SR6 million and SR5.5 million, respec-

On the other hand, Dr. Al-Sheikh signed a SR50 million contract with a national firm for the construction of a new building for the organization of Ahsa's

irrigation and drainage project. He signed the contract in his capacity as chairman of the organization's board of directors. The agriculture and water ministry has so far constructed new buildings for its

main directorates in Riyadh, Qasim, Ahsa

In Jeddah, he will hold a meeting Thursday

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prises in the corporate sector on the basis of

equity participation. Income from the

investments are distributed to the unit hol-

ders annually as dividends. NIT units also are

open for investment to Pakistani nationals

will attend the seminar which will deal with

the manufacture of medicine and phar-

at the Pakistan embassy. A similar meeting is

scheduled for Riyadh Sunday.

## Pakistan to woo expatriate savings

JEDDAH, March, 14 - A top executive of a state-owned Pakistani financial institution will arrive in the Kingdom Thursday as part of the government's efforts to mop up savings of expatriate Pakistanis for investment into productive channels at home.

N.H. Jafari, managing director of the national investment trust, the biggest holder of quoted equity shares in Pakistan with the assets exceeding Rs. 1200 million (approximately SR400 million), will stay in the Kingdom till March 23, meeting Pakistani nationals and selling the NIT certificates.

JEDDAH (SPA) - The Islamic Deans of pharmacology faculties in the Arab Development Bank will give Mali technical world and scientists from various countries

working abroad.

maceutical products. DAMMAM (SPA) - A week of cleanli-

ness for the Eastern Province will begin April, 10. All government departments, universities and schools will take part in the event. Dammam Mayor Zayed Al-Sukaibi, held a meeting recently with the officials concerned to discuss arrangements for the cleanliness week in the framework of a comprehensive plan.

# Committee to devise rules

DAMMAM, March 14 (SPA) — The Arbitration and Commercial Convention Committee - an offshoot of the Federation of the Arab Gulf Chambers of Commerce and Industry -- will hold a meeting on March 28 to draft the guidelines for enforcing a reconciliation, arbitration and commercial convention rule.

The purpose benind this step is to mend rifts that might occur among the businessmen and merchants of member states. Announcing this. Kazem Al-Muhaidi, federation's secretary general, said that the committee, which comprises two members each from Saudi Arabia the United Arab Emirates, by national insurance companies. Other subjects of discussion include the federation's participation in the fiberglass project and approval of its general budget as well as the closing account for the fiscal year ending Dec. 30, 1981.

Investors' Conference scheduled for Taif this

month. It also will consider the possibility of

publishing a guidebook on Gulf cooperation,

reduction of duties realized on the certificates

of origin and commercial manifests and also

insurance of goods imported into Guif states

In another regional development, a Guif technical health consultative committee

### Security, safety

DAMMAM, March 14 (SPA) - A security and safety exhibition was opened at the Chamber of Commerce and Industry here Sunday, on the occasion of a training course it has organized in cooperation with the Council of Saudi Chambers and. King Saud University of Riyadh.

Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Iraq and Qatar, will elect a chairman during the meeting.

Muhaidi added that the federation's board

of directors will meet in Taif on the same day to discuss a report of the secretariat general and its possible participation in the Arab

exhibition begins The four-day exhibition features products from 12 companies specializing in security and safety equipment. Several security and safety officials at warehouses, factories and commercial projects are also taking part.

began meetings in Muscat, Oman, Saturday to work out a comprehensive plan for combating eye diseases in the Gulf countries.

The committee will conduct a survey on eye diseases and problems, and make field research and applied studies.

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Kiti, charge d'affaires of the Mali embassy JEDDAH (SPA) - A Dutch delegation, led by general manager of the Dutch civil aviation department, arrived here Sunday. Sheikh Nasser Al-Assaf, president of the civil aviation, said a bilateral agreement on air transport between the Kingdom and Holland will be concluded during the Dutch group's

assistance totaling 512,000 Islamic Dinars

(\$650,000). The money will be used to finance a feasibility study on an integrated

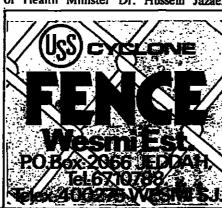
rural development project at Buhayrat reg-

ion. The agreement was signed at IDB head-

quarters here Sunday by the bank's president

Dr. Ahmad Muhammad Ali and Sheikh Dia

RIYADH (SPA) — The second seminar on medicine organized by King Saud University will open here Sunday under the auspices of Health Minister Dr. Hussein Jazaeri.



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the Kingdom's interior ministry. He will also

get to know the security situation and the low

RIYADH. March 14 (SPA) — Interior Minister Prince Naif discussed bilateral relations with visiting Zambian Minister of State of the Interior Fredrick Chambo at his office

In a statement later, the Zambian minister expressed his "great pleasure" over his visit to the Kingdom, whose aim was to get acquainted with the Kingdom's know-how in the field of security. For this purpose, he said, he came with a delegation comprising officials from the security department of his

Prince Naif welcomed Chambo and his delegation and said that the visit will enable

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rate of crime in the Kingdom, due to the application of the Islamic law, Prince Naif said. He added that the Zambian guests will call at the various departments of the interior ministry to get acquainted with the security machinery and situation from a close quarter. Chambo arrived here from Jeddah Sunday

morning and was met at the airport by Prince Naif: Prince Sattam, deputy governor of Riyadh and several high-ranking officials of the interior ministry.

# Faisaliya to hold dressmaking show

JEDDAH, March 14 (SPA) - Faisaliya Women's Society will open here Tuesday its sixth exhibition of products of its dressmaking and textile factory under the auspices of Deputy Makkah Governor Prince Saud ibn Abdul Mohsen, who will officiate for Makkah Governor Prince Majed.

The three-day exhibition will display the products of various divisions of the society's factory. Arab and non-Arab embassies will

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participate by displaying some of their countries' products. The products will feature the activities of the society's factory and the workers, training and education programs achieved in the women's services.

The first day of the exhibition, organized in the contest of the society's religious and cultural committee's programs, will be allocated

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He had arrived in Jeddah Saturday evening on the first leg of his four-day visit to the Kingdom, He was welcomed at the airport by Prince Saud ibn Abdul Mohsen, deputy govemor of Makkah; Gen. Mansour Al-Shuaibi. commander of the western zone; Maj. Gen. Muhammad Kandal, director of police of Makkah region; the Zambian ambassador to the Kingdom and several other officials.

Prince Saud ibn Abdul Mohsen, Gen. Shuaibi and several high officials saw Chambo off when he left for Riyadh Sunday

### Public agencies to view problems

By a Staff Writer

JEDDAH, March 14 - Mayor Muhammad Saeed Farsi will chair Tuesday a meeting here to discuss problems faced by government departments in Jeddah and try to improve these departments by finding permanent solutions to their problems.

The meeting will be attended by heads of branch municipalities, the education directorate, telephone department, electricity company, girls' education and water and sewage. The meeting will be held at the municipality's information and data center.

Arab News learned that the heads of government departments in the city will propose that such a meeting be held regularly with the mayor to discuss related issues.

#### Gen. Khan departs

JEDDAH, March 14 (SPA) - Deputy Commander of Pakistan's Armed Forces Gen. Sawar Khan left here Sunday for home after a several-day visit to Saudi Arabia.

He was seen off at the airport by Gen. Mansour Al-Shuaibi, commander of the Western Region, and a number of officials.

### Apicorp meeting to tackle budget

ALKOBAR, March 14 (SPA) - The Arab Petroleum Investments Corporation (Apicorp) board will meet here Tuesday under the chairmanship of Jamal Hassan Jawa, deputy governor of Petromin and the Kingdom's delegate to the corporation's board.

The meeting, to be attended by government delegates of member states of the Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries, will deal with the corporation's next general budget, profit and loss for 1981 and review the annual report of the board of director for the same year.

Reports on investment activities and Apricorp's participation in several Arab petroleum-related projects also will be discussed by the delegates. Progress and follow up reports on various aspects of the corporation's activities will be scrutinized.

Apicorp was established in 1974 to contribute in financing petroleum industries or oil-related, supporting projects. Priority in financing is given to joint Arab projects with the aim of extending the benefits to all member states to reinforce their abilities to benefit from the petroleum resources,



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#### Arab bankers to set working plan non-Arab banking and financial institutions.

RIYADH, March 14 (SPA) — The Arab Bankers' Association began a meeting here Sunday to devise a working plan for the year 1982-83 and approve this year's budget. The meeting, held at the Furusiya Club here, also will deal with the possibility of establishing a training center for Arab bankers on banking, money exchange and financial activities.

The association, an independent financial entity, was founded in 1980 with London as its headquarters and plans to open branches abroad. The association was created in recognition of the role which can be played by Arab personnel working with banking and financial institutions in Britain and outride in developing relations between Arab and

## Air France briefs travel agencies

By Habib Rahman Arab News Staff

JEDDAH, March 14 - More than 70 travel agents met at the Meridien Hotel to learn of Air France's new drive to popularise Sevehelles as a holiday resort. Sevehelles, is a group of islands in the middle of the western Îndian Ocean. Yves Bouillet, general manager of Air France in Saudi Arabia, said that though Mahe, the main island, lies only four hours away from here it is not too well known

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with Saudi Arabians. He said Air France, which flies every week to the island, introduced a hargain offer to boost the drive.

It aims at promoting economic develop-

ment in the Arab world; serving the Arab

capital and best means of investing it; rein-

forcing relations between the Arab workers

in banking and financial institutions; and

promoting the Arab structure in benefit of

The association's administrative bodies are

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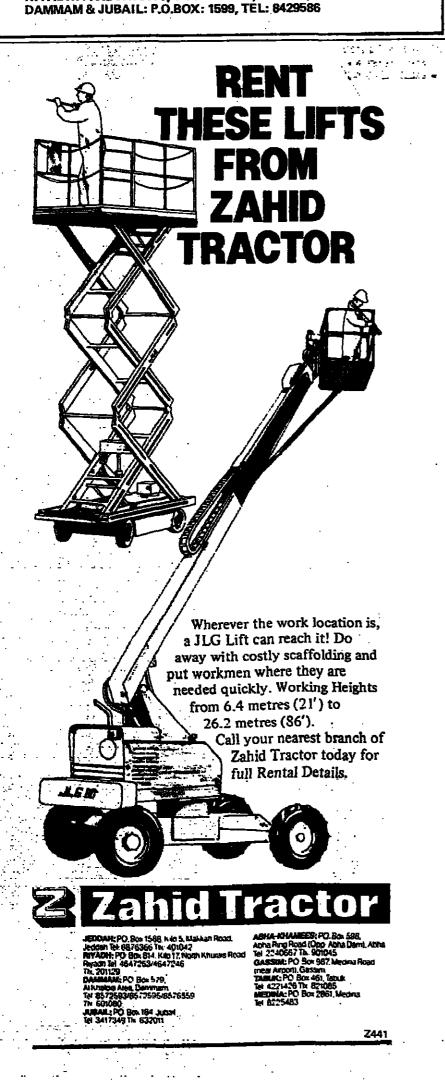
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France claims

stopping attack

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BEIRUT. March 14 (R) - France's

ambassador in Beirm was quoted Sunday as

saying that President François Mitterrand's

visit to Israel may have dissuaded it from

The diplomat, Paul Marc Henry, told the

English-language weekly Monday Moraing that such an attack, which Lebanon says it

fears, "would be the worst possible thing that

could happen." He added: "I would say that

an aggression against South Lebanon would.

in a sense, almost be an aggression against

attacking South Lebanon.

# Syria opposition plans 7Afghanistan alliance to topple Assad groups unite

BEIRUT, March 14 (R) — Iraqi First Deputy Prime Minister Taha Yassin Ramadan has said Syrian opposition groups will soon announce the creation of an alliance aimed at toppling Syria's Baathist government of President Hafez Assad.

#### His remarks, quoted Saturday by the offi-Bomb kills Iran official, 2 others

in Iran's "reconstruction brigade", Hojatoleslam Muhammad Salem Hossi, was killed by a fire bomb in central Tehran Sunday along with his two revolutionary guard escorts, the Iranian News Agency IRNA

IRNA said that terrorists disguised as revolutionary guards and clerics hurled the device at the Hojatoleslam's car. The agency noted that a similar disguise was adopted Monday by the murderers of Hojatoleslam Muhammad Chavushi in northern Tehran.

intensifying propaganda war between Iraq and Syria, which are ruled by rival factions of the Baath Arab Socialist Party. In an address to a militia detachment about to set off for the Iran-Iraq war front, Ramadan said the alliance would include "all (Syrian) political trends and all national personalities."

The best-known Syrian opposition group is the outlawed Muslim Brotherhood, which last month staged a violent revolt in the Syrian city of Hama. INA quoted Ramadan as saying: "Hama will be a symbol of the upsurge and expression of the Arabs ... to rid Syria of its rulers." The Syrian authorities said they crushed the rebellion in Hama more

than two weeks ago. Syrian leaders, including President Hafez Al-Assad, have accused Iraq of supplying weapons to the Brotherhood in Hama, and of sending agents and boobytrapped cars to carry out sabotage in Syria.

In a separate report Saturday, INA quoted an Iraqi Information Ministry spokesman as denying that Iraq was responsible for a series of car bomb attacks in Syria.

ISLAMABAD, March 14 (AFP) - Seven Afghan Islamic resistance groups have formed a united front in what is described as their first serious effort to escalate the threeyear battle against the Soviet-backed regime, Afghan sources said in Peshawar Sunday.

Gulbodin Hekmatyar, leader of one of the strongest groups, Hezbi Islami, has been appointed vice-president, while the office of president will rotate monthly among the leaders of all member parties, the sources added. They said the union was finally agreed in Peshawar, just over the border in Pakistan Saturday after several months talks involving over 100 religious scholars.

Fourteen committees were set up, representing all the previously rival factions. "Defense" affairs went to Professor Burhanuddin Rabbani, leader of the Peshawar-based Jamiat Islami Afghanistan, the sources reported.

The sources named other participants in the front as the two branches of Harkat-I-Inquilabi, led by Muhammad Nabi Muhammedi and Nasrullah Mansur and the National Front for the Liberation of Afghanistan headed by Sibghat Ullah Mujaddadi.

#### For alleged stone-throwing

# W. Bank Arabs arrested

authorities in the occupied West Bank detained 30 Arab residents of a refugee camp near Bethleham Sunday for alleged stonethrowing incidents, a spokesman for the military command said.

He said the Arabs from the Deheisheh camp were questioned about weekend incidents in which rocks were thrown at Israeli vehicles. The Arabs were awakened in the middle of the night and warned to preserve order and prevent youths from stoning Israeli cars on the main road outside the camp, Israel radio reported.

On Sunday, the windshield of an Israeli bus

was smashed by rocks at it passed the camp, the spokesman said, in a separate incident, Arab youths raised the flag of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) at the Qalandia Refugee Camp.

No injuries or arrests were reported in the

On Friday, unidentified assailants machinegunned the home of a member of a pro-Israeli village league in Betunia, a suburh of Ramallah. No one was injured in the shooting. The spokesman said one of three suspects detained Saturday in connection with the attack had been released.

> France. The ambassador was quoted as saying that Mitterrand's recent talks in Israel "had a dissuasive effect on the would-be aggressor although an eventual Israeli operation against South Lebanon would probably be decided "regardless of any kind of political

Henry told Monday Morning that he doubted whether a coming increase in U.N. force in South Lebanon would plug a ninekm gap in U.N. lines which Lebanon soys

might be used for an Israeli invasion. France is expected to provide 600 of the extra 1.000 U.N. troops who will reinform the 6,000 already in the area.

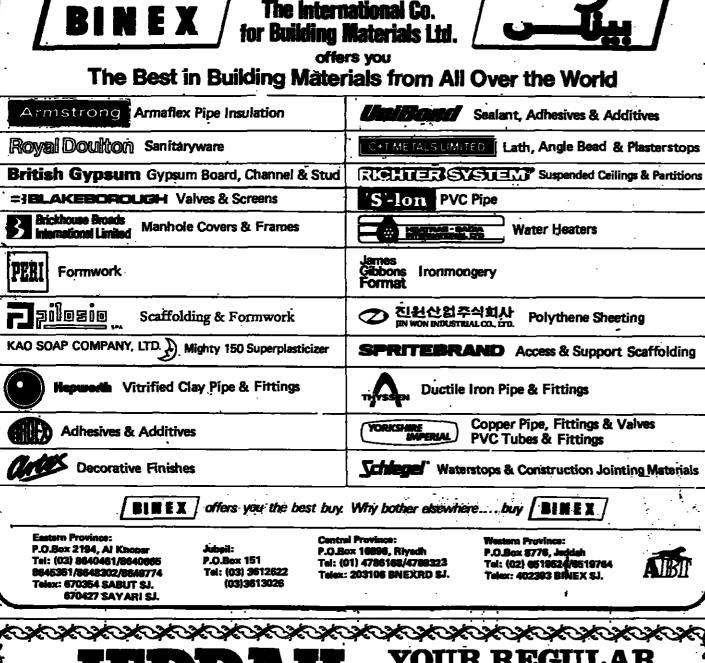
## Khaddam, Khamenei discuss ties

LONDON, March 14 (R) - Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul-Halim Khaddam, leading a Syrian delegation to Tehran, met President Ali Khamenei of Iran Saturday to discuss ways of improving bilateral relations, Tehran

The radio, monitored in London by the British Broadcasting Corporation, said the two leaders also discussed a common attitude to "world arrogance and Zionism in the Middle East region." The meeting was attended by Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Vel-

officials, including the ministers of oil, economics and trade of both countries, identified the main areas of economic cooperation in banking and trade, the radio said. They decided to set up working committees for economics and commerce, oil, industry and foreign relations, which will begin work

Welcoming the Syrian delegation, Velayati said that to end the superpowers' industrial and economic domination, the developing countries in general and the Islamic countries in particular must provide for each other's





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#### PRESSURE ON EGYPT

As April 25 approaches, the day on which Israel is to hand over the rest of Sinai back to Egypt, the Western media increasingly takes up to speculation on the theme of Egypt's possible return to the Arab world. The remarkable thing about this is the tone of foreboding adopted, the concern that Israel's "sacrifice" in handing back Sinai might prove insufficient to avert this "dire"

The timing of this wave of concern over the future course of Egypt's policies is not without significance. The six weeks which remain before the relevant date are to be used to put pressure on Egypt to show its hand. It is as if the Egyptian leadership is being told that there is a condition for the return of Sinai which is being articulated only now, a catch which was not made public at the time the deal was made, which is that Egypt must never return to its natural, normal relations with the Arab

As it is hardly likely that Egypt will acquiesce to this American-Israeli conception, the danger is that Israeli Premier Begin might tighten the screws further. And here the link also must be noted between the rising threat of a major attack on South Lebanon and the date of the Sinai handover. Increasingly, the talk from Israel is not whether - but when - the attack will take place.

The object here is to force Egypt to choose which horn of the dilemma it is to grasp: either protest against Israel's constant provocation and so give Begin the excuse to "think again" over the question of Sinai, or keep silent and watch Israel wreaking havoc on its other neighbors.

### Saudi Arabian press review

The warning against a possible end of his rule in Libya as a result attack on the Arab eastern front, of his total isolation by the Arabs the signs of growing opposition against Qaddafi's regime in Libya eral", it added. The paper disand the U.S. decision to consider March 21st as Solidarity Day with changes are taking place in Libya the Afghan people appeared for against the Qaddafi regime." the Afghan people appeared for editorial comment in Sunday's

newspapers. Warning against a possible Israeli attack on the Arab eastern front, Al - Jazirah said, "The Zionist enemy, living in a high state of tension, is now threatening to attack southern Lebanon, Syria

and Jordan." threats required that Syria and Jordan iron out their political differences and initiate measures for forging close military cooperation between them for reinforcing the eastern front which has become a

future target for the Israelis. Highlighting Qaddaft's call to the Libyan opposition to enter in a dialogue with his regime, Ai -Rivadh said the opposition inside and outside Libya has become a reality that could no longer be ignored by the Libyan leader.

The paper described Qaddafi's call for dialogue with the opposition as "reflection of the growing threat from the opposition to his regime which has failed to translate its slogans into practical achievements.'

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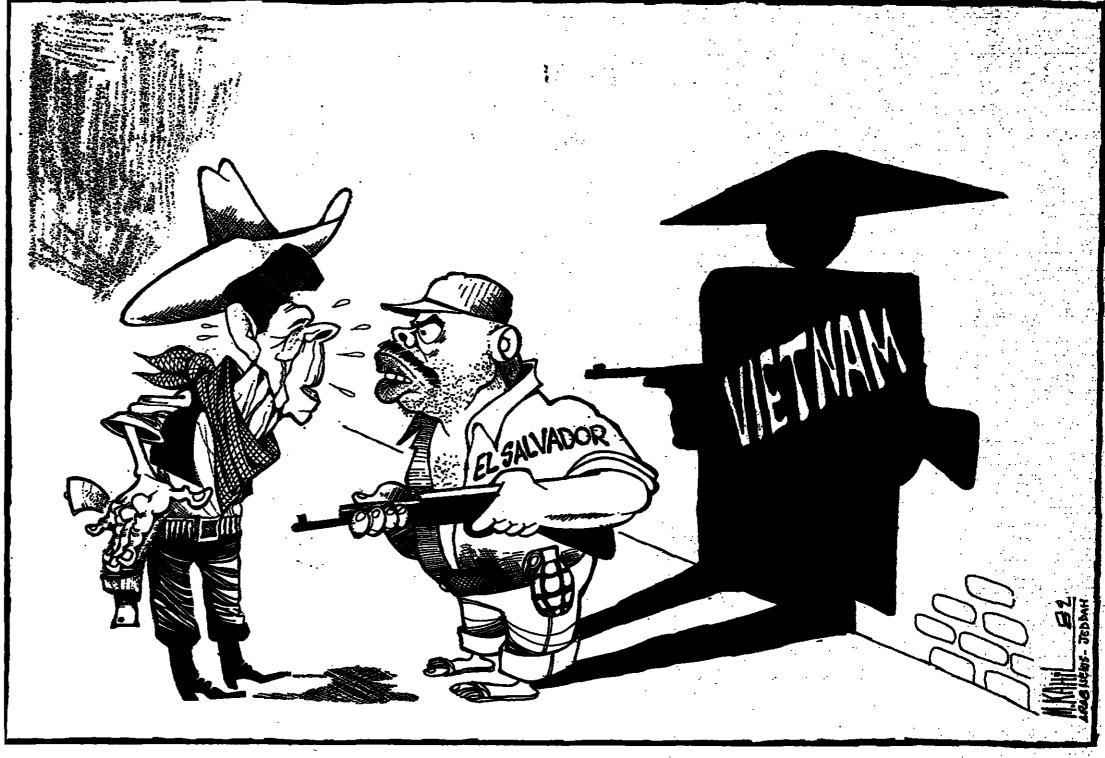
in particular and the world in genclosed that "certain fateful

On the same subject, Al -Bilad said the seeds of a flare-up in Libya are brewing, "a flare up tives for Natal-Kwazulu. It recommended a system which will topple the Qaddafi of government for the region, which could be

The paper observed that the Qaddafi regime has misused the Libyan people's resources and funds and encouraged terrorists The paper noted that these and mercenaries. "Qaddafi's claims and illusions which had been enshrined in the so-called "green book" had led the Libyan people to total destruction and collapse," it said.

As a result of Qaddaff's policies. the paper added, "Libya has girls and mothers in front of their fathers, husbands become one of the poorest and and brothers." most illiterate states in the world."

Welcoming the decision of the Saturday, former Air Col. Adel Hamed, who Reagan administration to con- reported having lived with Qaddafi for five years. sider March 21st as Solidarity Day accused the Libyan leader of "squandering the capiwith the Afghan people and the tals of the Libyan Arab people in unstudied pro-Western countries' positive sup- jects, such as the reclamation of lands without port for the Afghan cause, Al - studying the quantity of water or the feasibility of Madinah expressed hope that the the project." The situation assumed such propor-U.S. move would not be for prop- tions that "even the cost of a single orange proaganda "since the U.S. administ- duced under those projects rose to more than six ration has so far not given any real dollars," he said. aid to the Afghan people in their just struggle against the forces of national terrorist, Carlos, more than once. This, he colonialism and oppression". said, he did within the framework of "Qaddafi's



# Moscow extends peace feelers to Peking

By Richard Balmforth

MOSCOW -Encouraged by strains between Peking and Washington, the Soviet Union is putting out peace feelers to China, its Communist ally-turned-foe. Moscow has made a fresh call on Peking to resume border talks while Soviet leaders have emphasized publicly that the door remains open for reconcilia-

tion with its Communist neighbor. Chinese diplomats have detected a slackening of anti-Chinese-thetoxic in the Soviet press which is the past has launched near-hysterical onslaughts on

the Chinese leadership. Soviet officials say Moscow called on Feb. 1 for a resumption of talks on the joint border, one of the long-standing points of conflict in the 20-year feud between the two Communist giants. Though China has reacted coolly to the proposal, Soviet leaders, undeterred, appear to be going out of their way to create the right mood for dialogue.

Prime Minister Nikolai Tikhonov, in an interview with a Japanese newspaper recently, said Moscow 'would not be kept from taking concrete steps' to

improve links, though he added that this could not be done unilaterally.

His hint at the change in mood was strengthened by Leonid Zamyatin — a senior Kremlin official regarded as a hardliner in foreign policy - who said in a television interview that the door was open on Moscow's side for better relations. All this falls short of a peace offensive by Moscow.

But diplomats believe the signals indicate a con-scious shift in the Kremlin's attitude toward Peking, aimed at taking advantage of the strains in relations between China and the United States Diplomate say it is more than come dence that Moscow has begun extending peace feders as Smo-American relations run into trouble over President Reagan's

decision to sell F-5E fighter planes to Taiwan. A political and military axis between Peking and Washington touches deep-seated fears of encirclement in the Kremlin and in Moscow's eyes has become one of the main obstacles to good relations with China. The feeling in Moscow seems to be that the present strains between Peking and Washington present a clear-cut opportunity that should be

There is a strong body of opinion in the Soviet establishment that time and historical forces are on the side of Moscow in its future relations with China. According to this opinion, China will one day

realize its best interests lie in a close relationship with the Soviet Union — its rival at the moment but Communist all the same. This opinion sees the rapprochement between Peking and Washington as a marriage of convenience based on expediency and anti-Sovietism, but flawed by inherent contradictions that will finally sink the relationship.

Alexander Bovin, a senior political commentator, said recently in a newspaper interview: "The Chinese-American partnership is burdened with considerable difficulties and contradictions. It is a partnership without confidence or, let's say, with a minimum of confedence."

Bovin said that after 10 years of close cooperation the Chinese and Americans now regarded each other with more suspicion than previously. He went on: "History is not only the past and the present but also the future. And that which can be seen as a success today can turn out for the Americans to be a

S.Africa blacks foresee revolution over apartheid aganda benefit without committing itself sincered to solving major problems.

Chinese officials believe Moscow has also been interviewed was their dissatisfaction with government policies affecting them - especially their prompted by a feeling of growing isolation internsopposition to what they saw as second class educa-They have also denied that any high-level talks tion for their children. But despite this, blacks

interviewed by the commission remain willing to on bilateral relations took place with Sergei Tikhvinsky, a Soviet specialist on Chinese affairs who compromise with whites. Although most favored a one-man one-vote sysmade a 10-day visit to Peking in January. Either way, nobody is expecting any sudden break-throughs to end a feud that began as an ideological tem in a unitary state, over 60 percent favored power sharing between black and white as an

acceptable alternative. Commission members made it clear they had not expected the government to respond positively to their proposals. "We don't expect Pretoria to agree with it - but we hope it will start a debate with whites on the future of our country," said one.

Black commission members expressed even less

optimism and feared Chief Buthelezi, if rejected by the government, would change his present policy of using apartheid-created institutions like Kwazulu to fight apartheid.

"Unless there is a change of direction South Africa will find itself not talking to people who are seeking a peaceful solution," Inkatha Secretary-General Oscar Dhlomo told journalists this week. 'Chief Buthelezi might be pressured to change his strategy and once that happens I shudder to think what might happen," he said, adding in an oblique reference to the guerrilla warfare which has wracked many African nations: "All of us might be forced to take to the bush."

A number of Afrikaans newspapers said in editorials that the commission's findings as a whole were unacceptable to the National Party, but said it had made a valuable contribution to the overall debate on constitutional reform and could not be summarily rejected. - (R)

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As well as its call for new border talks, the Soviet

side has said it is seeking renewed cooperation in

the fields of science, technology and education.

But like the issue of renewed border talks these

overtures met with no response from the Chinese

side. Moscow-based Chinese diplomats have infi-

cated that Peking's cool reaction comes from a den

suspicion of Soviet intentions and the conviction

that Moscow has not shown any shift on basicipues.

distinction between that and "territorial out which they say Moscow does not intend to

For China this means that the Kremlin is pre-

Damansky in the Soviet Far East, in 1978.

to discuss protocol questions but not China's chair

two sides last discussed the border dispute, which

led to violent clashes 13 years ago on the island if

One Chinese diplomat commented: "We have

examined all the proposals made since late last year

by the Soviet side but we see that they have not

changed their basic position at all." The diplomat

suggested that Moscow may be out to reap prop-

squabble between Communist parties and mus-

hroomed into a major split between the two powers.

broke off in late 1979 shortly after they had begun-

The two sides still trade allegations of "expansion

ism" and "hegemonism" and remain on opposite sides of the fence over Kampuchea and Afghanis-

Western travelers to Soviet border regions with

China are regaled by Soviet officials with stories of

Chinese "aggression" while the joint border itself

has become one of the most heavily armed in the

Talks on normalizing state-to-state relations

On the border question, Soviet officials days

Today is Monday, March 15th, the 74th day of 1982. There are 291 days left in the year. Highlights in history on this date: 44B.C. — Roman Emperor Julius Caesar &

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aries between French Congo and Cameroun. 1921 — Ruanda, East Africa, is ceded to Britain by Belgium.

1943 — Japanese planes raid Darwin, Australia, in World War II.

1960 — Ten-power disarmament conference opens in Geneva. 1963 — The United States proposes "hotline". communications system between Washington and

Moscow in effort to prevent war. 1969 - Fighting between Soviet and Chinese forces breaks out along border between the two

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1977 - U.S. Senate votes to restore ban on American import of chrome from white-ruled Rhodesia

Thought for today: Nothing is more unjust or capricious than public opinion — William Hazitt, English essaying (1778-1830)

#### extended to the rest of South Africa, called Con-

By Richard Williams

DURBAN, South Africa -Over half of South Africa's educated blacks expect revolution unless the white minority government changes its racial segregation policies. The vast majority of the republic's whites fear that black rule would lead to political domination, unrest and

These are two attitudes to emerge from a survey conducted for a report advocating multi-racial power sharing for one of South Africa's provinces. The report's findings were quickly rejected by the Nationalist government.

The report of the Buthelezi Commission, named after the republic's most powerful black leader, was released this week after nearly two years of deliberations by politicians, businessmen, clergymen and academics of all races.

Its brief was to recommend a new system of government for the "Cqie" eastern seaboard province of Natal and the "black" Kwazulu homeland of Zulu chief Gatsha Buthelezi which comprises a number of unconnected pockets of land within

Natal's borders. Government policy is that Kwazulu should eventually gain independence from Pretoria, following the example of other tribal homelands such as Transkei, which have failed to get international recognition.

But Chief Buthelezi, who also heads the country's largest black political movement, Inkatha, has always refused to play the government's game and his commission examined constitutional alternatives for Natal-Kwazulu. It recommended a system

By a Staff Writer

A former Libyan official has accused President

Muammar Qaddafi of being behind the "wide-

spread phenomenon of fear among the Libyans by

creating the gang of Khalifa Henaish to spy on the

Libyan families, arrest Libyan youths and assault

In an article published in Al -Madinah newspaper

Col. Hamed confessed that he met with the inter-

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Consociation, according to the report, is multiracial power sharing, a form of government granting all races equal representation with minority rights safeguarded by law.

Opposition leader Frederik Van Zyl Slabbert has warned that the government ignores proposals of this kind at its peril. But Natal National Party leader and Finance Minister Owen Horwood said the plan was unacceptable as it proposed a unitary state which was counter to the government's policy of developing separate black homelands. The commission's findings are based in part on

surveys which show increasing support for violent solutions to South Africa's constitutional problems. The survey found that 60 percent of the blacks,

questioned expect revolution unless the government brings about change. Over 40 percent supported the banned African National Congress (ANC), which is pledged to overthrow the govern-ment by force. The ANC has mounted guerrilla attacks against police stations and electrical installations in the last year. The commission said: "Revolution is no longer

the topic only of frustrated intellectuals and arm-

Ninety-five percent of whites questioned said they feared black majority rule. "The dominant fear is in fact one of political domination expressed in terms of insecurities, because of small population unrest and instability.

numbers," the report said. The whites feared black rule would bring a deterioration of standards,

# A recurrent feature of answers given by blacks

squandering the funds of the Libyan people in financing the terrorist movements and playing host

to the terrorists." The former Libyan officer, who wrote his article for the Saudi newspaper, related a scene whose heroes were "Lt. Munir, Qaddafi's personal secretary, and his adviser Al-Maqsabi." In 1973, when the Libyan leader announced the Oct. 6 flareup. "he began to scold, abuse and curse Egypt and the Egyptian army. Then, he was gripped with an epileptic fit and started destroying everything his

eyes could see," the Libyan officer said. Hamed continued: "At last, Lt. Ali Al-Fitouri said the only solution could be found by bringing Theresa, who was staying at Al-Shati hotel and was the only person capable of quieting him." Hamed claimed that Theresa, later on, visited the Israeli embassy in Rome. "This is the secret which made the Egyptian military command stop Qaddafi from entering the operation chamber at Al-Tahera Palace in Qubbah, as it had become convinced that he was an agent of Zionism," Hamed said.

He further accused those working in the Libyan newspapers of being "a new category of ignorant-

Qaddafi squanders Libya's wealth on terrorism men claiming to be cultured." He said that "one of them deceived Qaddafi and grabbed millions of

> account for business purposes," The former Libyan officer denied that Qaddafi had written the book entitled The Third Universal. Theory, and said its author was "a person who has

> dollars, which he transferred abroad to his personal

now returned to Egypt." "He had ealier come to Libya during the Sanussi reign. He was incidentally discovered by Qaddafi who fixed him in a government department where he used to meet him secretly. That person wrote the book for him, taking excerpts from the books of Algerian philosopher Malek ibn Nabi, who was known for his thinking on the North and South. His view was that the North has built its culture and civilization by exploiting the southern hemisphere of the globe, and that the Marxist and the capitalist ideologies must be rejected and a third course must

be adopted, with Islam as its focal point." Hamed further accused Qaddafi of "beating members of the Muslim Brotherhood, the imams of mosques and also the Baathists, through Khalifa Henaish, in Zuwailah and Zuwarah."

### Carrying on after Kennedy's death

# JFK's secretary defends her boss, she is a living storehouse of facts

By Stephanie Mansfield

WASHINGTON (WP) - The secret diary is locked away in a bank safety deposit box. So is the little pink piggy bank Caroline gave her. The flags are there, too, the ones that hung in the Oval Office.

Evelyn Lincoln, President John F. Kennedy's White House secretary, goes to the security box every so often to refresh her memory. To turn back the clock to Camelot. The Camelot of memory, where controversy erupted most recently over JFK's secretly recorded conversations, recordings Evelyn Lincoln supervised.

She is a slight, soft-spoken septuagenarian who wears a filigree-encrusted Kennedy half-dollar around her neck like a medal of honor. Her bouffant hair is dyed black, the ends curled up in a jaunty flip with thin bangs. She wears plain stockings, black leather high-heeled pumps, black velvet miniskirt. There is something eerily familiar about the look — a touch of Jackie Kennedy, circa

"That's my image," she says. "Mamie Eisenhower had her bangs all her life. You get known for certain things. That's how peo-

ple recognize you." For the last two decades, Evelyn Lincoln has stayed in Washington and embraced the legacy of the slain president as her personal vocation. She answers hundreds of letters each year from admirers, curiosity seekers, history buffs and pen pals, enclosing an 8-by-10 black-and-white glossy of herself. Every year on Nov. 22, she makes the pilgrimage to Arlington National Cemetery, where she places three long-stemmed red roses on Kennedy's grave.

She is sent endless samples of JFK memorabilia from collectors who want her to translate her former boss' illegible handwriting or to verify the signature. She sits for hours on end, granting interviews to researchers, authors, reporters and anyone else who will listen to the affectionate snatches of history stored away in her memory bank.

Evelyn Lincoln refuses to let go. "Why should I try to be something else?" she says, mindful that being a member of the elite corps of presidential personal secretaries is the highest achievement of her life. So when the logs of President Kennedy's White House taping system became public recently, she was ready. Ready to say that it had been done to keep an accurate account of the daily schedule. Ready to say there was nothing wrong with it. Ready to face the barrage of reporters who tracked their muddy shoes on the scarlet wall-to-wall carpet of her apartment, setting up the hot lights for the cameras that beamed her face into the living

Evelyn Lincoln loves it. "I suppose anybody does," she says. "It's

rooms of America once more. The talk

shows, the news shows, the celebrity.

just like an actor or actress coming back to the stage, perhaps."

She sits in a velvet-covered armchair. The apartment is furnished with pastels, brocades, plastic potted palms and red plastic geraniums in the window boxes lining the glassed-in porch. She shares the apartment with her husband, Harold, also known as Abe, who used to be an administrative assistant to a U.S. representative and later worked for the Veterans Administration.

"I got a little excited on "Nightline," she says. "I was much better on the "Today Show" the next morning. I knew there was nothing to hide. There wasn't any sinister motive on the part of the president to get any information on anyone in order to blackmail them, or whatever. It was just a recording of the events."

On the taping of Jacqueline Kennedy: that is nothing, absolutely nothing. It was during the Mississippi thing, with (James) Meredith and they did turn on the dictabelt to get the conversation with the various people and it was still running when, unconsciously, the president picked it up and called Jackie just to chat. They picked that one thing, like boy, he was bugging her.

The tapes, she insists, were purely for history. Kennedy, she says, never listened to them. "I stored them away and that's where

Évelyn Lincoln is good at storing things



John F. Kennedy

ing if he was in his office and murdered somebody, all he'd have to do is buzz Mrs. Lincoln and she'd gather up the body, file it away and go on like nothing happened.

Raised on a Nebraska farm, Evelyn Lincoln moved to Washington in the 1930s when her father, John N. Norton, was elected to Congress. She graduated from George Washington University and met her future husband there while attending two years of law school. Later, Evelyn Lincoln went to the Hill to work for Rep. E. L. Forrester, D-Ga. In 1952 she says she remembers telling her husband that her next job would be working for the next president of the United States.

"Eisenhower?" he said. "No," she said. "John F. Kennedy."

Evelyn Lincoln had not known the young politician from Massachusetts, but after reading a few of his press releases she decided to work on his senatorial campaign as a volunteer. The next year, 1953, Kennedy formally asked her to join his staff.

She began keeping a diary and continued writing it until the assassination. Originally written in shorthand, the diary took a year to

"I have things in my diary which are very interesting," she says coyly. "I grant you it would make interesting reading."

But Evelyn Lincoln says she doesn't plan to make her diary public until after her death. No one has read it, not even her husband. Any bombshells in the diary?

"Oooh, I think maybe there would be some," she hints, "Some of the things that were said about other people." Would anything make her change her

mind? "There might. Something might come

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Like a book contract? "Something like that."

A publisher with a million dollars?

"I'd have to think about it." She giggles nervously, squirming in her chair. She enjoys the attention. Isn't there anything that would make her unlock the

"There's more locked in my head than in that bank," she exclaims.

Evelyn Lincoln learned the hard way how to keep a secret. In 1968, she published her second book, 'Kennedy and Johnson' (the first was an affectionate memoir, "My Twelve Years With John F. Kennedy, ' ' written in 1965), revealing that Kennedy was planning to dump Lyndon B. Johnson as his vice presidential running mate. The Kennedy family denied Lincoln's claim. The controversy deepened when a gossip columnist reported unnamed Kennedy sources as saying it was Evelyn Lincoln whom the president wanted to dump, not Johnson.

That hurt her deeply. She says the information about Johnson was true, but that Robert Kennedy was running for president at the time and did not want to anger Lyndon Johnson. "I assumed he knew, just like I knew."

People accused her of disloyalty. She went on a talk show and heard Polly Bergen say, "I'd never hire her for my secretary." She feels now that people in the White House were jealous of her because Kennedy "relied on me as much as he did. All the time I was

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with Kennedy there were 50 to 100 people behind me, breathing down by neck, trying to say I wasn't efficient, I wasn't this, I wasn't

that." It's not easy being close to the Kennedys. Evelyn Lincoln found out the hard way. "I told something that was in the diary." she says, flipping the heavy Kennedy half-dollar. "And look what happened. You have to be

careful with a diary. She thought about leaving him only once. That was back in the Senate when she spent half her time screening the orgent calls from beautiful young women who wanted to meet

the handsome politician. "He was charming." Lincoln allows. But he could also be difficult. "He had an Irish temper and when things didn't go right, he'd tell you about it. At first I got hurt, but after a few minutes it was as if he had never said anything to you. He wanted perfection." The time she thought about quitting was when he had his back problems. "He was going to Hyannis and was be cranky. It didn't seem

like I could do anything to please him."

But she stayed. Until that rainy morning in Dallas when the skies cleared and the decision was made to remove the bubble top from Kennedy's limo. Evelyn Lincoln was a few cars back in the motorcade.

"The last thing I saw was him waving to the crowds and that was it. And then we were in the hospital and the doctor came out and said, 'I'm afraid he's gone. I had to go into a room by myself and ferret out my thoughts. I felt so sorry for Jackie. And then Rose Kennedy said to me after the funeral, 'we have to live for the living."

### Insects cause sandalwood tree disease

DEHRA DUN, India (PTI) - The supply of sandalwood, which holds a great export potential for its value as oil and perfume is progressively decreasing from natural forests, primarily due to the 'spike' disease, according to scientists at the Forest Research Institute here.

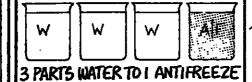
Sandal is a medium-sized tree which grows wild in southern India. It has been reported that between one-quarter and one-half of sandal trees are killed by the disease before they reach their productive age of from 15 to 20 years. According to P.K. Sen and Sarma, many of the remaining trees are killed before they attain full size. Large areas where sandal trees once flourished have been laid barren due to the disease.

The disease initially appears on trees only on a few branches and gradually spreads to the whole tree. Affected trees are killed within two to three years after manifestation of the external symptoms.

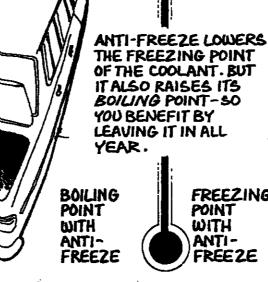


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All contractors are kindly requested to check the schedule posted in the Contracting Department in Dhahran to determine when they have been scheduled to attend one of the briefings to be given concerning CIS. At each briefing the new system will be explained and contractors will be advised on how to update information related to their organization.

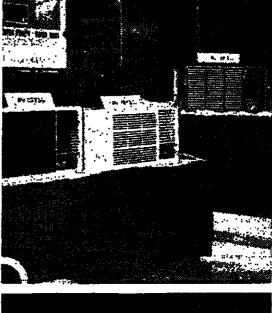
The first briefing was held on Feb 8, 1982. In order to limit the number of attendees at any one session, contractors are requested to attend on the date scheduled.

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#### Threatened by industrial pollution

# Ganges River does have self-purification powers

By Tyler Marshall

VARANASI, India (LAT) - Hindus were pleased when recent scientific studies found that the Ganges River possessed special qualities that helped purify its waters an abnormally high quantity of bacteriakilling agents. The studies added scientific backing to their belief in the river's cleansing

They also helped to explain why samples of the river water, kept in Hindu homes often remain clear for decades.

But the scientists noticed something else that three decades of industrial expansion and an unabated population explosion have taxed this self-purification quality to its limit.

Here in Varanasi, for example, the city's main sewage outlet, which is just downstream from the main bathing areas, turns the river into a foul-smelling mixture of browns and

"The discharge contains everything.

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including animal bodies," R. S. Ambasht, a botany professor at the Benares Hindu University here, told an interviewer.

India's inability to control its population will only exacerbate the pollution problem. Varanasi, a city that thrived as a contemporary of Babylon and Thebes, took nearly 3.000 years to reach a population level of 500,000 in 1961. In only 20 more years, it topped I million.

Like great rivers in Europe and the United States, the Ganges has become so polluted in some places that the water there has been declared unsuitable for human use.

Waste is dumped from industries — sugar refineries, paper mills, tanneries, metalworking factories — that dot the river's banks along its 1,500-mile course from the Himalayas to the Bay of Bengal, Soon, an oil refinery and a nuclear power plant will add more waste.

Dams and canals diverting Ganges water for irrigation have substantially reduced the

river's flow in many areas, increasing the impact of pollution.

But the primary threat comes from the teeming population of the vast Ganges plain. Government officials estimate that 100 million people regard the Ganges as their primary source of water.

A government study completed late last year has concluded that the Ganges' future will be in jeopardy if "suitable pollutioncontrol policies are not speedily evolved and implemented."

Poor water quality, however, has not dampened local attraction to the river.

Some Hindu rituals have been eroded by the forces of modernization, but those associated with the Ganges are still a pivotal element of Hindu life. In fact, improved transportation, growing affluence and a liberalized attitude toward women have brought a dramatic increase in the number of Hindus to the Ganges.

"I'd say the number who bathe has dou-

By Peter J.

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three times a year "popular" diets sprout up from nowhere. They cause a flutter of excitement and then disappear to make way for new How would you like to be in on the invention of one of these ridiculous diets? This dieting craze is nothing new. Many years ago I

For Mrs. U.: Most popular diets deserve a lot of debunking. Two or

invented a ridiculous diet which I called "The Blue Grape Diet." WARNING: Please don't take it seriously. Its essential purpose was to stick a pin in the balloon of dieters who were susceptible to every new, ridiculous diet that was being published. Here is the diet to end all diets that appeared in my book. How To Keep Fit Without Exercise

(Wilfred Funk, Inc.,) THE BLUE GRAPE DIET: Breakfast: Water , 1 glass: Polyvitamins, 1 tablet; egg yolk, 1; toasted crackers, 4; skimmed milk, 1 glass; raisins, 8; almonds, 3; blue grapes, 7.10 a.m.; Water, 1 glass; raisins. 4. Lunch: Water, 1 glass; toasted crackers, 4; cottage cheese, 2 teaspoons; coffee, 1 cup: raisins, 8: almonds, 3; blue grapes, 7.3 p.m.: Water, I glass; raisins, 4, Dinner: Water, I glass; egg yolks, 2; toasted crackers, 4; cottage cheese, one-half teaspoon; steak, 1 inch by threequarters inch, by one-half inch (preferably sirloin, charcoal burned, and medium rare); milk, one-half glass; raisins, 8; almonds, 3; blue grapes, 7.

Directions: Those who so desire may add two stalks of celery 15 minutes before retiring.

In reviewing this diet you will note that its most essential ingredients are nuts, raisins, skimmed milk, egg yolk and grapes. Twice weekly you must weigh yourself at 2.30 a.m. (wearing only

your left bedroom slipper at the time). If when using the (blue) grape diet should you awake during the

early morning hours feeling famished, it is permissible to peel three (white) grapes and wash them down with one-half glass of vichy. This, then, is the diet to end all diets — constructed in front of your very eyes. If you endure this diet, you will lose weight steadily.

In fact, if you never return to a sensible diet you will waste away to the bone! Or, in the interim, tuberculosis or some other infection may

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In principle does it differ much from other diets: the 11-day diet; the 28-day diet; the "Hollywood" diet; the banana diet and hundreds of others.

Popular reducing diets are practically all brain children of puny psychologists who feed on the gullibility of the naturally childlike adult. If any diet is dressed up differently, we succumb to its doubtful

I hope my ridiculous Blue Grape Diet will help readers withstand the allure of any new "promising" diets that come along.

#### **MEDICALETTES**

(Replies to and from readers)

For Mrs. Q.: If your daughter's obstetrician suspects there may be some injury to your grandchild because of difficult delivery, it makes good sense to allow X rays. This may be the only way to determine if a break has occurred.

W.A. Cummings, radiologist at Toronto's Hospital for Sick Children, reviewed X-ray studies of 23 newborn fracture patients. He found that 10 had broken collarbones, six had fractures of the upper arm and seven had broken thighs. All resulted from difficult deliveries.

For Mr. T .: Of course, parachuting can be fun. But like any sport, you should be aware of the dangers.

Do you recall the worst disaster that occurred in 1967 in which 16 jumpers drowned in Lake Erie after a mass jump? Unusual, yes, but even so the average number of fatalities each year is close to 50. Call me a killjoy, but I thought you ought to know.

For Miss U.: Your experience is not unusual. Although antihistamines do not cure a cold, they make it more bearable. They relieve the runny nose and congested sinuses. But be careful while driving. Antihistamines produce drowsiness.

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bled in my lifetime," Ambashi, who is about 50, said. During a festival recently at Aliahabad, the government estimated that as many as 10 million people crowded into the river one day on a four-mile stretch of shoreline.

Virtually no Hindu occasion including the celebration of birth and marriage, is complete without a sprinkling of Ganges water. People who journey to the river's banks return home laden with containers of the water, which is kept for this use.

People residing near the river often get requests for Ganges water from far-off relatives unable to make the trip themselves.

Dr. N. L. Ramanathan, director of India's Department of Environment in New Delhi, recalled a steady stream of such requests during his student days of Varanasi.

"It's kind of an instant cleanser for all sorts of things," said Upvinaya Chandra Pande, a history lecturer at Allahabad University.

Ironically, the increased usage has contributed to the pollution problem. In the belief that people who die and are cremated on the banks of the Ganges achieve immediate salvation, old people from all over India make a final trip to the river and wait there to die. In Varanasi, there are halfway houses where the elderly can take shelter until death

comes. The houses are financed by wealthy businessmen. Government scientists estimate that 500,000 bodies are cremated annually on the banks of the Ganges, many of them on ghats

- steps leading to the river for this specific purpose. The ashes are consigned to the river. The bodies of people whose families are too poor to afford the cremation ceremony go directly into the river, adding to the pollution

problem. In the few years since the government began trying to deal with the pollution problem, progress has been slow and the barriers to solutions have been formidable, simply defining the problem is politically sensitive, for labeling the Ganges as polluted is tantamount to blasphemy.

In 1980, during parliamentary debate on the subject, the minister of civil aviation and tourism, A.P. Sharma, insisted that the river could not possibly be contaminated because it purified everything that went into it.

Meanwhile, industrialists with strong political connections have managed to fend off pressure to control the volume of waste matter discharged into the river.

But last December, the government's powerful Central Planning Commission got involved. The commission summoned the heads of 20 universities and research centers situated on the river to a meeting in the capital and ordered them to draw up a plan for comprehensive river management.

"Our first effort will be to look at the problem as a whole, "one scientist involved in the project, said. "We should be getting organized in the next few membs."



designed to operate at depths of 1.745 meters, two and a half times the capability of any other submersible craft. This design is being developed in Britain for oil companies planning offshore operation in deeper waters. It is seen as the forerunner of a series of craft able

## Parents' needs are forgotten amid Singapore's prosperity

SINGAPORE (Depthnews) - Chinese children are often taught eight virtues, without which life would not be that livable. They include ren (benevolence), Yi (righteousness), li (propriety), lian (integrity), chi (sense of shame), at (love) and zhong loy-

But the most important of all is xigo or filial piety. Xiao is the reason why in traditional China - and indeed, even today grandparents, sons, daughters, grandchildren, nephews and nieces often live together under one roof.

Modernization, however, has broken the xiao virtue in many Asian societies today. It has gotten to such extent in Singapore that the country's enduring Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew has announced a plan to require Singaporean children to look after or support their parents when they grow old.

The announcement would probably not shock Singaporeans who have learned to obey Lee's laws and social reformation campaigns without any complaints. But some are shocked by it. To legislate such a virtue, a responsibility, only shows that in the rush to modernize, Singapore has forgotten how it is to be human. If passed, this would be the first such law in Asia.

When Lee announced the proposed law during Chinese New Year, he said that he was disturbed by the on-going break-up of the traditional three-generation Singaporean family into the more nuclear two-

Although no details were mentioned, the proposed law will make it materially worthwhile for one child to live or take care of his parents. But while such an announcement may be couched in virtue, it has a certain measured and practical benefit

By laying down the burden of responsibility on the children, Singapore will have less social welfare responsibilities which now bog down many Western and modern Government statistics show that the

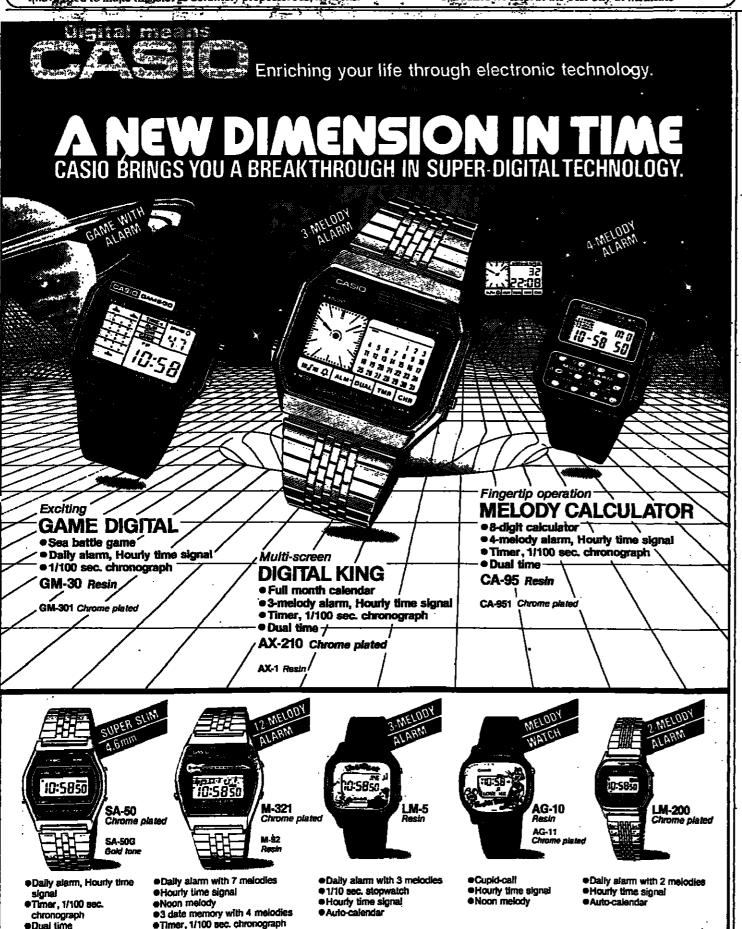
number of nuclear families in Singapore has increased by 125,000 in ten years ending 1980. That year, there was a total of 397,125 nuclear lamilies. This has left many aged living alone in the

older housing estates. In 1980, there were 7.773 such households of couples over 50 years old living in Singapore.

By bringing back the three-generation family, Singapore will be able to create more space to ease this city-state's housing

"To have our older estates occupied only by lonely grandparents or worse, a sole survivor grandparent, is a society Singaporeans...cannot be proud of," said Lee.

Yes, it is also a society which Asia cannot be proud of. Amid all the prospenty of Singapore, the state is finding it difficult to convince children to take care of their own parents.





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Over fiscal program

# rty avoids break with Reagan

EASTON, Maryland, March 14 (R) - A Republican Party meeting Saturday avoided open break with President Ronald Reagan over his economic program which many political observers had expected.

Elected Republicans from around the country, holding their fifth annual meeting on party issues, carefully skirted mention of touchy issues such as cuts in defense spending or increasing taxes. Instead, they urged Congress to work for a balanced budget by 1985 and take all necessary steps, including a constitutional amendment, to restrain spending

The conciliatory tone fell far short of the outright opposition to Reagan's economic program that many political observers had expected to emerge from the three-day Tidewater conference, named after the inn where it is being held. President Reagan was elected on a pledge to balance the budget by 1984, but the budget he proposed to Congress last month projects huge deficits up to

Despite strong congressional opposition to the budget by members of his own party, the president has so far refused to consider reductions in defense spending or to make

changes in the program of income tax cuts Congress approved last year.

Saturday's meeting adopted a resolution which praised the administration for progress in reducing inflation and urged Congress to maintain its commitment to cutting individual taxes. It represented a compromise between delegates who wanted to demonstrate support for Reagan's economic program and those who felt the Republican Party had to meet the deficit question head-on.

Budget Director David Stockman, one of five Reagan cabinet members attending the conference, said it was unlikely a balanced budget could be achieved by 1985, but added that the specific mention of a target date was

expressed it as a goal, it's always helpful to have a goal, but they didn't say anybody was going to get shot if it isn't achieved." Stockman told reporters.

On foreign policy, the delegates were

TOKYO. (AFP) — Japanese Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki is expected to visit Brazil and Peru in June, after attending the Western industrialized summit in Paris and the U.N. special conference on disarmament in New York. Suzuki Sunday confirmed that he had accepted an invitation from the Brazilian government, and the Tokyo newspaper Shimbun, quoting Foreign Ministry sources.

equally cautious in deviating from the administration's position on conflict in Central America. A proposed resolution to sanction U.S. military involvement in Latin America served only as a starting point for discussion and was quickly shelved in favor of a more general statement encouraging. Congress and the administration to increase U.S. efforts "to contain Cuban aggression" in the

added that he would also visit Peru on his way

NEW DELHI, (R) - Soviet Defense Minister Dimitry Ustinov arrives Monday for a five-day visit at the head of the most highpowered Soviet military team to come to India in seven years. Ustinov will be accompanied by the chiefs of the Soviet Navy and Air Force and the deputy army chief.

BANGKOK, (AFP) - A community of 10,000 members of former Cambodian Premier Son Sann's resistance front was shelled with toxic gas between March 7 and 11, Western sources said here Sunday. The casualty toll resulting from the attacks on Sokh Sann village in western Cambodia is unknown, and it has not been determined if lethal "mycotoxins" were the agents used. the sources added.

NEW DELHI, (AFP) - India will set up a \$277 million atomic research center in the central state of Madhya Pradesh, to ease the strain on its over-worked Bhabha Atomic Research Center in Bombay, informed sources said Sunday. The sources, quoted by the Indian Express newspaper, said the center would be completed in five years

LIMA, (R) — Some 50 persons were feared killed when a landslide buried a dozen cars and trucks on a Peruvian jungle road, civil defense officials said Saturday.

## Poll setback predicted for Roy Jenkins

Jenkins, former president of the European Common Market, will lose his bid to re-enter the House of Commons in a byelection in Glasgow next week, two opinion polls predicted Sunday.

Defeat in the Scottish seat could end Jenkins' efforts to become leader of the new centrist alliance between the fledgling Social Democratic Party and the oldestablished Liberals. Jenkins must have a House of Commons seat to be a credible British political leader. He is the only one of the four SDP founders outside the house, having abandoned it in 1976 to take the European post. All four are breakaways from the Labor Party.

A national opinion poll survey for the Sunday Observer in Glasgow's Hillhead electoral district, which votes March 25, found Jenkins trailing third with only 23 percent support, behind Laborite David Wiseman with 33 percent and Conservative Gerry Malone, 30 percent. The remaining 14 percent split between other candidates and undecided:

A poll for the Scottish Sunday Standard newspaper and the British Broadcasting Corp. found Malone ahead with 30 percent support. Jenkins and Wiseman level with 27 percent each and the remainder split among others. Jenkins told a reporter: "I never comment on polls."

#### St. Helens vibrating

VANCOUVER, Washington, March 14 (AP) - Mount St. Helens, which geologists say is preparing to erupt again within three weeks, continued to vibrate with earthquake activity Saturday, authorities said. "It could happen any time," said A.B. Adams, a spokesman for the University of Washington geophysics program.

An eruption advisory was issued Friday by the university in Seattle and the U.S. Geolog-

#### Congress rejects rival claims

# Guevara declared president

GUATEMALA CITY, March 14 (AP) -Congress voted Saturday night to name Gen. Angel Anibal Guevara the winner of Guatemala's presidential election, overruling claims by his three civilian rivals that the vote count was rigged.

Guevara and his civilian running mate, Ramiro Ponce Monroy, received 39 votes from the 52 Congressmen present, and the 13 other votes were declared null and void. Congress decided between the top two votegetters after none of the four candidates received a majority in the election last Sun-

Guevara was backed by a coalition that includes the Institutional Democratic Party. in power for the past 12 years. Runner-up was Mario Sandoval Alarcon, of the far-right National Liberation Movement, who received no votes from Congress.

Guevara will begin his four-year term July 7 replacing outgoing President Fernando Romeo Lucas Garcia.

Nine members of Congress from opposition parties protesting alleged fraud in the election did not attend the session. Spectators in the gallery applauded as each vote for the winner was read individually from the secret ballot. There was a silence at each announcement that a Congressman had writ-

Guevara" erupted from the gallery after he was declared president.

Congress started the session by voting down a motion from the National Liberation Movement to nullify the election. Fourteen

#### Mercenaries plotting to topple Ghana leader

members of the far-right party attended the

session while seven stayed away.

LONDON, March 14 (AP) - A group of British-recruited mercenaries is planning to topple Lt. Jerry Rawlings, Ghana's head of state, if they can find a backer, The News of the World reported Saturday.

It said the organizer of the group is a former British Army private, Nick Hall. He drew up the plans and is offering the contract: \$90,000 for the killing and \$180,000 to seize key services in the city of Kumasi, start a civil war and attack the capital, Accra. Arms for the plot are being obtained from South Africa, the report

The newspaper did not indicate whether anybody has shown interest in paying for the plot to go ahead.

## Five die in U

PHOENIX, Arizona. March 14 (AP) --An Air National Guard fuel tanker and a light airplane collided in the air near Luke Air Force base Saturday, destroying the tank plane and killing at least five persons, officials

Fire dispatcher Henry Strow said there were no known survivors, but there were "unconfirmed reports that two (para) chutes" were sighted after the collision near Interstate 10 kms. The dead included four Air National Guard members and one civilian, officials at the scene said.

Air Force Sgt. Jane Bodie said she did not know how many people were aboard the KC-135 tank plane when it took off from Phoenix Sky Harbor airport on "a routine weekend training" flight.

Gordon Routley of the Phoenix fire department quoted unidentified Air Force officials as saying there were five to 10 persons aboard the tanker and two to four aboard the civilian plane. Routley said the Air Force officials did not expect to find survivors from the tanker. Debris, apparently from both planes, was scattered over 1 hectare of desert after the crash.

The location of the civilian plane was not immediately known.

The fire department sent a hazardousmaterials crew to the scene and placed medical evacuation crews on standby, but later reported there was virtually nothing left of the tanker. Fire crews were sent to put out a

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To rectify trade imbalance

# France set to mount pressure on Japan

TOKYO, March 14 (AFP) — French External Trade Minister Michel Jobert will spearhead a major French offensive aimed at correcting Japan's huge advantage in bilateral trade when he begins a four-day visit

Jobert will prepare the ground for a visit next month by French President Francois Mitterrand, observers said. The French attach great importance to Jobert's visitwhich will concentrate mainly on economic and trade matters. These in future are likely to have a marked effect on the atmosphere of Mitterrand's trip, which observers here said would be more political in nature.

Jobert will be accompanied by a 20-strong delegation from National Council of French Business Leaders (CNPF). Its arrival will coincide with the third meeting here Monday and Tuesday of the joint committee to promote exchanges, established after the visit to France last year of Japanese Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki.

In addition, several other French officials were in Japan last week. They included Energy Minister Edmond Herve and the president of the French Aerospatiale Industry Jacques Mitterrand, brother of the presi-

The committee to promote exchanges, which last met in January, must get to grips with several matters of particular concern to

France wants satisfaction particularly in the area of the aero industry and is seeking to sell Aerospatiale helicopters and aircraft for civilian use, and the European Airbus which has already been ordered by the government and hopes to win orders also from Japan Air-

French officials are hoping that Japan might import nickel for its strategic stocks. Among technical matters which are likely to be taised are an increase in Japan's import quotas for flour-based products, an increase in the scope for imports of French shoes, the import of apples and cheese and the removal of objections to some kinds of tires and cosmetics.

In a related development, Japan's Foreign Minister Yoshio Sakurauchi said Sunday the government was considering proposing

another "Tokyo round" of multilateral trade talks aimed at solving trade issues on a global

Sakurauchi, during a penal discussion with parliamentarian leaders representing political parties televised by Japan Broadcasting Corp. (NHK), said he will discuss the idea with U.S. officials when he visits Washington March 20.

The idea was first proposed by Susumu Nikaido, secretary general of the ruling Liberal-Democratic Party, in a lecture here Friday. Nikaido suggested that world leaders get together to discuss trade problems on a global scale, instead of seeking solutions through bilateral negotiations.

In the Tokyo round of multilateral trade negotiations, 99 countries held talks from 1973 through 1979, when agreement was reached to cut tariffs. Nikaido's proposal called for liberalization of the banking and services sector, further cuts in tariffs and reaffirmation of free trade.

# Hassan opens Morocco's new harbor

RABAT, March 13 (AFP) - King Hassan of Morocco inaugurated Morocco's largest port for phosphate exports at Jorf Lasfar, 100 kilometers (65 miles) southwest of Casab-

The king, who was accompanied by Spanish Foreign Minister Jose Pedro Perez Llorca and Romanian Industry Minister Ioan Avram, also laid the foundation stone of Port installations being built by a joint consortium of the Spanish Fomento de Comercio Exterior Company and two subsidiaries of the Japanese Mitsui concern.

Jorf Laspar, an entirely artificial harbor, will be able to take ships of up to 100,000 tons and handle some 42 million tons of phosphate. It comprises two breakwaters, one 3,100 meters (yards) and the other 1,250

The port installations, with a daily capacity of 4,000 tons of phosphoric acid, will begin functioning in 1985.

#### Weekly commodities

## Gold's fate affects metals

LONDON, March 14 (AFP) - Sharp fluctuations in gold, which slumped to a twoand-a-half-year low, affected the rest of the commodity markets this week.

Other precious metals were also affected with silver at its lowest for two and three quarter years and platinum reaching a fouryear low. Tin fell to a nine-month low in highly nervous conditions.

The annual British budget Tuesday brought a pause in trading as dealers awaited news of a cut in interest rates. But the reduction, announced Thursday was somewhat less than expected.

Sharp gains in government securities on the stock exchange were thought to have drained some speculative funds from commodities. Sterling fluctuated quite sharply and remained a prime factor in determining

Gas-oil remained under pressure in continuing active upswing, coffee reached a 2-month high, while sugar futures were at their lowest since late autumn.

Gold: Irregular. Sharp sales followed rumors that Iran had sold 200 to 250 tons of gold within two weeks. Prices fell to their lowest since September 1979 in union with New York.

Copper: Uncertain. Prices fell back to their lowest since May, 1981 under the impact of gold's fall and a further rise in stocks. A mid-week rally induced by sterling's rise petered out as a selling pressure re-appeared on the bullion market.

Tin: Irregular. Initially very hesitant on the eve of the International Tin Council's emergency meeting. Prices fluctuated sharply and then rallied. Selling pressure came from sources previously connected with the socalled mysterious buyer whose buying had sent quotations to record levels last month.

Lead: Last week's firmer trend quickly changed to one of uncertainty in major metal markets. The late recovery was checked by the rise in stocks — up 2,510 tons to 66,675

Aluminium: Steady. Western world's stocks of all forms of aluminium reached a record 5.1 million tons in January, according to latest estimates from the International Primary Aluminium Institute. Merchants' quotations outside the London Metal Exchange were \$10 cheaper at 1,035/1,065

Nickel: Irregular. Prices moved to their highest for seven months following a further fall in stocks of 420 tons to only 1,302 tons the lowest tonnage since the market opened in July 1979. This raised fears of a supply

Other metals: In unison with gold, platinum fell to new near four-year lows of \$313 (172.75 pounds) an ounce. The subsequent recovery was mostly lost with quotations closing at \$314 (against \$324.75) or 174.30 (against 176.80) pounds an ounce.

Scrap: Lower prices were quoted for copper, brass, gunmetal, nickel and nickel-silver, and lead. Whitemetal and zinc were unchanged, as was aluminium. But there were reports that certain grades of aluminium were available at very low prices, although pure scrap was scarce.

Rubber: Steadier. The persistent buying by the International Natural Rubber Organization (INRO) buffer stock manager continued after the call for more funds at the Kuala Lumpur meeting. It brought a steadier tone to the market. Purchases were estimated at 2,000 tons a day, with the total stock now put at 120,000 tons. Rumors of buffer buying on the futures (paper) market - which requires much less outlay but is equally effective were circulating, but not confirmed. The United States and the European Economic Community (EEC) are known to be against

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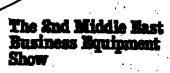
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#### Polish-type tr m Romania bies overw banks and governments has thrown the VIENNA, March 14 (R) - Romania is

suffering from Polish-style economic troubles and a heavy burden of Western debt. but its plight is not as serious as Warsaw's according to Western analysts.

Romanians, who have one of the lowest standards of living in Europe, have had to endure power cuts and shortages of basic foods in recent months. Romanian banks are finding it difficult to pay for Western goods and loans.

Last week, Romania asked to reschedule 80 percent of the bank debt owed this year and left over from 1981. Banking sources estimate that Romania owed the West \$1.14 billion last year and owes another \$3 billion this year, nearly 75 percent of it to

When a country reschedules its debts, it asks its creditors for a postponement of payments of the original loans, and the interest on them. In return for giving the borrower more time to pay, the banks charge extra interest. Poland's inability to pay off the \$28 billion it owes Western

international financial community into disarray, particularly as economic recovery for

the Poles looks a long way off.

Banks are still waiting to collect interest on Polish loans that came due in 1981 before they agree to let Warsaw reschedule \$2.4 billion of principal due last year. Only then will talks begin on what is owed this year, with the prospect of negotiations on ever-increasing amounts for years to come.

Romania is not in such a dire position. Once the debts owed in 1982 are sorted out, it will be over the hump, with about \$1.4 billion due in 1983 and some \$900 million in 1984, the analysts said. They think there is a good chance Romania can smoothly out its problems and pay off its debts to the

Its payments problems are not confined to long-term debt. Romania has asked numerous Western suppliers to accept delays on payments for goods, and Romanian banks have even failed to fulfil their side of foreign exchange deals recently, they

No precise figures for Romania's total western debt have been published, but bankers estimate it at \$10 to 12 billion, about two-thirds of it owed to banks. French banks have been the largest lenders, followed by British banks and then banks in West Germany.

The bankers and analysts also distinguish between the economic causes underlying Romania's and Poland's payments difficulties. Warsaw's economic mismanagement was exacerbated by political difficulties in Poland's less monolithic society, whereas Romania remains a rigidly authoritarian system, and the government has never experienced serious difficulties when bringing in unpopular measures, they said.

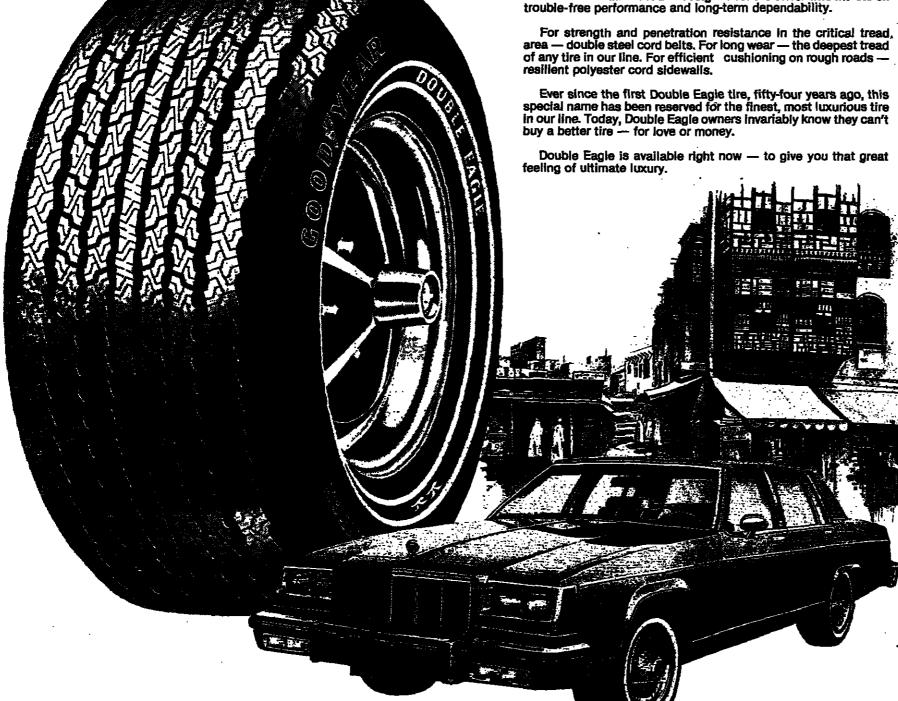
They feel Romania's troubles are the result of incompetence and economic mismanagement, aggravated by nervousness from Western banks fearful of a second

Romania has achieved dramatic growth rates since the war, but that partly reflects its low state of development when the Communists took over.



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High interest rates

# EC to debate ties with U.S.

European Economic Community's monetary relations with the United States and trade dispute with Japan were top of the agenda for officials here this weekend.

Monetary relations and the strengthening of the three-year-old European Monetary System (EMS) are the main items on the agenda for discussion by the community's 10 finance ministers here Monday. Meanwhile, Esaki, a special envoy of Japanese Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki, has arrived here to convince the community commission of the

open the Japanese market to European products. Esaki heads a delegation of eight parliamentarians from the ruling Liberal Democratic Party which will visit London on Tuesday, and then Paris and Bonn.

In Brussels, the delegation will meet Community President Gaston Thorn, several commission members and ministers from the

Obstacles to community's exports, the size of Japan's trade surplus seems likely to be one of the main topics when the world's most EEC commission faces a difficult task - in talks with Esaki as the EEC states are divided on a common strategy. The commission has based its proposals on seeking easy access to the Japanese market and on harmonizing measures by member countries to contain imports from Japan.

But hardline countries such as France, Italy and Britain have rejected this, arguing that the community - with a trade deficit with Japan of \$15 billion a year - should first obtain concessions before expecting them to ease their national arrangements. It thus appeared that the commission, as has been the case for several years, will be able only to express concern about its growing deficit without being able to begin real negotiations.

On monetary relations with Washington, the 10 want to persuade U.S. officials to try to reduce the rise in interest rates and fluctuations in the dollar. The ministers will try and draft a common position with the June sum-

They will also try to reach some understanding on how to combat the deflationary effects of high interest rates.

### Solar power cost said prohibitive

ments.

CAIRO, March 14 (R) - Solar power is unlikely to replace nuclear power as an answer to Third World countries' energy needs because of its expense, according to a West German company researching the subject.

Peter Schreiber, an executive of the German electronics and communications company Aeg-Telefunken, said Saturday that solar generators were particularly suited to providing power for remote village com-

But because of the costs and space required by solar cells to collect just a few hundred watts of energy, they were unlikely to be adapted on a larger scale, he told a press conference at the opening of the Cairo Trade

"For regions with an under-developed or

no infrastructure, solar technology is particularly suitable to ensure the supply of electricity to village communities for communications, agriculture and irrigation," Schreiber said. But at present prices, electricity from solar power was around four times more expensive to produce than from nuclear energy, he said.

Turkey, Iran

strengthen

lomatic sources said here.

panies held six days of talks.

trade bonds

TEHRAN. March 14 (AFP) - Turkey

and Iran this week signed an unprecedented

\$1,000 million economic accord involving

oil, farm and industrial products, Turkish dip-

They said the agreement demonstrates a

desire to make the most of long neglected

complimentary aspects of their economies. A

delegation led by Vice Prime Minister Turgut

Ozal, comprising 19 officials and 117 experts

and officials from public and private com-

The economic, industrial and technical

cooperation agreement, and the memoran-

dum signed Wednesday by Ozal and Iran's

Minister for Executive Affairs Behzad Nabavi, concerns mainly barter arrange-

This is something that Iran, which is short

of foreign currency, wants to develop. Under the arrangement, worth \$1,000 million, Tur-

key will sell foodstuffs, engineering and chemical goods in return for four million tons

The Egyptian government, predicting a big increase in domestic energy consumption. has itslef opted for nuclear power to meet rising local needs.

It is planning to provide 40 percent of its electricity from nuclear power stations by the year 2000. Egypt is negotiating with France. West Germany, the U.S. and Canada to build eight nuclear plants by the end of the century.



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## Financial Roundup

# Riyal stays firm on dull day

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH, March 14 - The local markets were reported to have been quiet Sunday, with the closure of the European and American business Sunday. Riyal deposit rates remained generally firm but very few transactions took place to effectively gauge what the 'real' market rates would have

In the exchanges, spot rival/dollar rates opened at 3.4198-08 levels and generally remained at this trading range for most of the day. Commercial transactions were up compared to last Sunday's volumes but dealers said this was not surprising given the exceptionally strong dollar performance over the weekend.

The few OBU's - offshore booking units - that were open in Bahrain on Sunday. also reported a quiet day with transactions carried out to cover short-term borrowing or lending requirements. Most OBU: believed that the dollar would open strong Monday in Europe and some were quoting Eurodollar deposit rates at 14 11/16 - 14 13/16 percent for the one-month and 14 13/16 - 14 15/16 percent for the one-year periods. This is some 1/16 percent less than the strong Friday New York closing, but it is normal when dealers have no guidelines or indications of how the Eurodollar markets would behave the next day.

In the local markets, the one-month JIBOR rate opened at 12% - 13 % percent levels and generally remained at that level all day. The one-week fixed rate went to 11 — 12 percent after opening at 912 — 101/2 percent earlier in the day. In the long tenors, the one-year period was quoted at 13 — 13½ percent.

FRANKFURT, (AFP) The West German textile industry has repeated its protest against the French government's subsidizing the textile industry. A spokesman for the West German Textile federation accused Paris of not respecting the European Economic Community's treaty of Rome.

NEW DELHI. (R) - India faces a cut of almost half in the amount of soft loans it will receive this year from the World Bank, its main source of development funds, finance ministry sources have said. They said it was likely that the International Development Association (IDA), the World Bank affiliate that provides low-cost development loans, would reduce to about \$840 million the \$1.6 billion originally earmarked for India this

LONDON. (AFP) — A special meeting of the International Whaling Commission (IWC) is being held in Brighton, southern England, in two weeks' time to set the catch limits for sperm whales in the western part of the north pacific, the commission has announced. The meeting scheduled on March 24 will examine a new report from its scientific committee.

NEW DELHI. (AFP) - India has delivered — 100,000-ton of United States wheat to Bangladesh in response to an urgent plea

## Canada's jobless touch new high

OTTAWA. March 14 (AFP) - The toal number of unemployed people in Canada rose to 1.119,000 in February, the highest level for more than 30 years, official figures published, have showed. This means that 8.6 percent of the working population is looking for work compared with 8.3 percent in Janu-

In Paris, meanwhile, the publication of official figures showed the number of people without work in France totaled 2,003,800 at the end of February against 2,034,000 at the end of January, reflecting a fall of 1.5 perfrom Dacca and the World Food Program (WFP), the Press Trust of India reported here. The agency said the wheat was aimed at tiding Bangladesh over an immediate food shortage, and added that the WFP would reimburse India soon.

PARIS, (AFP) - French businesses are the most heavily taxed in comparison with their competitors in other leading industrialized countries, the Federation of French Businessmen has said. The federation said in a report that in 1981 they paid maximum in taxes and so at charges as did their rivals in the United States, Japan and Britain.

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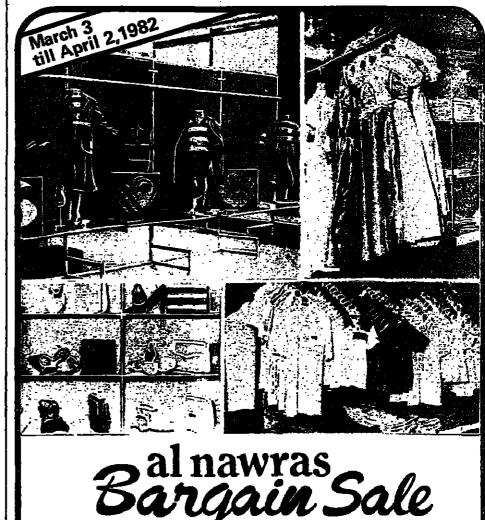
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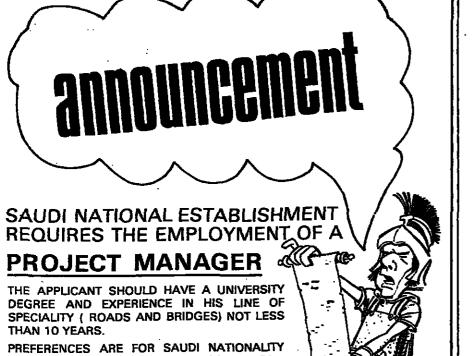


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#### Meets Wilander in final

# Gerulaitis sails past Connors

BRUSSELS, March 14 (AP) - Vitas Gerulaitis defeated Jimmy Connors 6-2, 7-5, in the semifinals of the Belgian Indoor Tennis Championship Saturday and will play Mats Wilander of Sweden in the final Sunday.

Gerulaitis slammed 10 aces past Connors. the last year's winner, who scored only one. Connors came back somewhat in the secondset and the score went to five games apiece before Gerulaitis could break away to a 7-5 victory.

Earlier. Wilander, 17, qualified for the final be beating Shlomo Glickstein 6-2, 6-4. Wilander, clearly the surprise of the tourney. has been labelled "the new Bjorn Borg" because he, too, possesses a mean doublefisted backhand shot. But he sees no similarities with Borg.

In Munich, Czechoslovak stars Ivan Lendl and Tomas Smid won through to the final of a \$300,000 WCT Tennis Tournament Saturday, with Smid beating Swiss player Heinz Guenthardt 6-4, 7-6 and Lendl taking just an hour to beat South African Johan Kriek 6-4...

Kriek, currently ranked No. 8 in the world,

### Zambia scores upset victory

BENGHAZI, Libya, March 14 (R) — An upset 3-0 victory by Zambia over Nigeria Saturday sent the African Soccer Cup holders crashing out of this year's tournament at the end of the preliminary rounds.

Nigeria needed only a draw to join World Cup finalists Algeria from preliminary Group Two in the semifinals on Tuesday. But a 25th minute goal from Peter Kaumba put Zambia on the road to victory and further goals from Aaron Njovu and Willie Phiri put the game beyond doubt.

Earlier, Algeria made sure of their place in the semifinals when they drew 0-0 with Ethiopia to finish on top of preliminary Group Two. Zambia will meet Group One winners Libya in Tripoli while Algeria will play Ghana here. Nigeria's exit from the Cup was the tournament's second major shock following World Cup finalists Cameroun's failure to qualify from Group One.

Kaumba's early goal stunned the Nigerians who attacked in increasing desperation as they strived for the vital equalizer. But the Zambians, growing in confidence, repulsed the Nigerians and struck again nine minutes from time when Njovu slammed a closerange shot past goalkeeper Peter Fregene.

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allowed his own nerves to beat him in a semifinal that turned into a baseline duel with Lendl. The South African gave away the game with a series of nervous mistakes, including six double faults. In the baseline duels, Lendl used his hard court experience to turn the angles and win most of the crucial

Smid, too, looked the smoother player in his battle with Guenthardt. Both players play a net game, but the Czechoslovak was the surer and swifter of the two.

In the first set, the players stood even at 4-4 before Smid broke serve and went on to hold his own serve to take the set in 32 minutes. Guenthardt bounced back to hold even in the second set, but Smid took the tiebreak 6-4.

Meanwhile, top-seeded Martina Navratilova had no trouble with unseeded Kate Latham, whipping the Californian 6-1, 6-1 and advancing into the finals of the \$200,000 Avon Championships of Dallas Women's Tennis Tournament.

Navratilova will meet fifth-seeded Mima Jausovec of Yugoslavia who beat Italy's

#### Jack Nicklaus LAUDERHILL, Florida, March 14 (AP) - Tom Kite, a winner only last Monday

grabbed the lead with a 5-under-par 67. while Jack Nicklaus grabbed his shoes and headed home, a victim of the cut Saturday in the second round of the Honda-Inverrary Golf Classic. Kite, the defending titleholder here and

golf's leading money-winner last season, completed 36 holes of this rain-delayed event with a 132 total, 12-under par. His one-shot lead over George Burns, who had a second-round 67 and a 133 total, was far from com-

Nicklaus, in contention in every previous start this season, could do no better than a 71 and a 144 total, level par on the 7,129-yard Inverrary Golf and Country Club course. It was not good enough to qualify for Sunday's

India, Pakistan keep winning run

KARACHI, March 14 (AFP) — Olympic champions India defeated Malaysia 2-0 on the third day of the Asian Cup men's (field) Hockey Tournament here Sunday after leading 1-0 at halftime.

The scorers were inside-left Zafar Iqbal, who shot India into the lead off a penaltycorner rebound in the 33rd minute and Mervyn Fernandes who got a field goal in the 65th

India played much below form. Their attempts to penetrate the Malaysian goal area were thwarted by a packed Malaysian defence. The Indians earned five penaltycorners, but were only successful from one. while Malaysia missed both of their penaltycorners. This was India's third victory.

Sunday championship match.

Navratilova, ranked No. 2 in the world, disposed of Latham in slightly more than an hour, in sharp contrast to her Friday night struggle with Wendy Turnbull that went to three sets, including two tiebreakers. "She didn't give me as much trouble as Wendy," Navratilova said of Latham. "When you don't play for a few weeks, the serve is the first thing that goes." She said. "I think I'm playing better than in 1978 when I was No.

Latham tried to use pace and placement against Navratilova, but was unable to overcome the veteran's exceptional mobility. Well, a player has to have pace to beat Martina, Latham said. "She runs well, she gets balls you don't expect her to get. She's No. 2 and that's why. She still works hard on her

Navratilova dominated the match from the opening service, frequently luring Latham out of position and hitting crosscourt winners. Latham said she never could gain con-

# disappoints

double-round windup, a situation set up

when Thursday's play was rained out. Veteran George Archer held third at 134, only two off Kite's leading pace, after a under-par 66. It was two more strokes back to Hale Irwin, Andy Bean and Cal Pecte at 136. Peete had a 66 in the muggy heat. Bean shot a 68 and Irwin a 71.

Meanwhile, Hsu Sheng San of Taiwan captured the \$100,000 Thailand Open Golf Championship beating Shen-Chung Shyan in a sudden-death playoff.

Tied at 281 over four rounds on the 7023yard, par 72 Army Club Links, Hsu clinched the \$16,600 winner's purse as he fired a six iron to within six feet of the cup on the first hole. Shen got his second shot into the rough, chipped on, but overshot the cup with his putt and conceded the match.

World champions, Pakistan maintained their high scoring rate and crushed Singapore 7-0. With a tally of 31 goals Pakistan top the

table followed by India and China. Speedy winger Hanif Khan, who topscored with five goals in Pakistan's opening match, put them ahead with a sparkling goal and then struck again to consolidate their position. Full back. Manzoorul, right out Kaleemullah, center-forward Sardar and Saced share the other goals.

In the third match of the day, China recorded their second win beating Sri Lanka 1-0. They had beaten Malaysia in their opening match. The only goal of the match came through Hui Zhen in the 45th minute of a



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### English soccer fans run amuck

LONDON, March 14 (AFP) - One man was injured with an axe, two knifed and 124 arrested after football supporters went on the rampage in and around Wembley Stadium after Saturday's League Cup final between Liverpool and

Tottenham Hotspurs. Windows were smashed and shops looted and most of those arrested were disgruntled Tottenham supporters whose team were beaten 1-3 after extra-time Violence erupted at the stadium itself and one-and-a-half hours after the match hooligans were still smashing windows and looting shops.

Recently 134 fans were arrested during a match between Chelsea and Tottenham and 70 were taken into custody after the local Derby between Queen's Park Rangers and Crystal Palace.

Tottenham are to play Eintracht Frankfurt in West Germany on Wednesday in a return-leg quarterfinal clash in the European Cup Winners Cup.

#### Hamsho outpoints Curtis Parker

ATLANTIC CITY, New Jersey, March 14 (AP) - Syrian-born Mustafa Hamsho, in his first fight since losing to world middleweight champion Marvin Hagler, scored a majority decision over American Curtis Parker in their 10-round rematch Saturday.

Both fighters remained energetic until the end - slugging. shoving and grabbing each other in the same raw style they used in their first match 13 months ago, when Hamsho won a split decision.

. The victory improved 28-year-old Hamsho's record to 34-2-1, and may have silenced those, including his own trainer, who suggested he should retire after receiving 55 stitches on his face following the Hagler title ht Oct. 3. Promoter Murad Muhammad said he is trying to match the 159-pound (72kg) Hamsho with No. 1 World Boxing Council contender Tony Sibson of England in the next few month.

Parker, 19-4, complained after the last fight that he was robbed, and the 23-yearold, 1591/2-pound (72-kg) fighter appeared close to tears after losing a second time. 'Maybe I was a little in a hurry," Parker said. "I was constantly punching. Hamsho was holding. Why should he have the opportunity to fight dirty?...Why is it the referee always

# Aussies face uphill task

As Edgar smashes to a record

Edgar's painstaking innings of 161 - a record for his country against Australia maintained New Zealand control of the second Test at Eden Park here Sunday.

Although New Zealand's total of 387 fell a little short of Saturday's expectations, Australia will have to work hard to overcome a first innings deficit to 177 and prevent New Zealand's second Test victory in 14 matches between the countries.

Edgar, who had come in on Friday night and batted throughout Saturday, extended his innings until just before tea. The vigil ended when he offered a return catch to offspinner Bruce Yardley after eight and a half hours at the crease in which he had batted with eight separate partners.

It was easily the longest innings played by a New Zealander in a Trans-Tasman Test, eclipsing Bevan Congdon's 131 in Wellington in 1974. It was also Edgar's highest first class score and took him to within 13 runs of his 1000 in Test cricket.

Australia's reply was twice interrupted by

AUCKLAND, March 14.(AP) - Bruce the weather which cut playing time by more than an hour Sunday. Wood and Bruce Laird survived the opening barrage from Hadice and Gary Troup and were still together at stumps with Australia 13 for no wicket.

Score-board

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ish side finished the second day poorly at 90

Meanwhile, the editor of Wisden, the

authoritative cricket record book, was

quoted as saying the three four-day interna-

tionals between South Africa and the touring

British side would not go into the publication

The South African Press Association

reported that editor John Woodcock said he

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Australia (2nd innings): G. Wood betting B. Laird batting Extres: Total (for no wkt.)

# English first innings performance. The Engl-

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, March 14 (AP) — The touring English XI were 63 for no wicket at tea, following on in their second innings in the third day of a four-day

match against South Africa Sunday.

The English XI were all out for 150 in their first innings in reply to South Africa's 400 for seven declared. Geoff Boycott and Graham Gooch, openers for the rebel team touring South Africa in defiance of an international ban, gave their side some confidence with an unbroken 63-run stand after lunch.

Gooch was unbeaten with 31 and Boycott had 20 at tea as the tourists followed on. Gooch had six boundaries in his two-hour stay, while Boycott was conservative. Earlier, Dennis Amiss provided the only resistance with an unconquered 66 in 224 minutes batting including nine boundaries in the lowly

match for the London Times SAPA said. Puttemans wins Rome Marathon

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#### Assumma ran the airst sub-four minute ROME, March 14, (R) - Veteran Belgian indoor mile in Britain when he clocked three Emile Puttemans outclassed a field of 40,000 minutes 59.56 seconds in an athletics international between the United States and Britain.

runners to win the - . Rome International Marathon in a fast time of two hours nine minutes 53 seconds Sunday. Putternans, winner of the silver medal

behind Finn Lasse Viren in the 1972 Olympic 10,000 meters, finished more than two minutes ahead of Britain's Ian Thompson, the 1974 European champion, with Karel Lismont, another Belgian, third.

Puttemans shook of a challenge from Thompson around the 24 kilometer mark and was never seriously threatened. Thompson finished in 2:12:09 with Lismont close behind in 2:12:36.

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RICHFIELD, Ohio, (AP) — Cliff Robin- Hunt of Australia reached the semiline son scored 25 points and Scott Wedman and the British Open Squash Championship is Bobby Wilkerson each added 21 to pace the Cleveland Cavaliers to a 121-115 National Basketball Association victory over Utah

Jazz Saturday night.

MALMOE, Sweden, (AP) — Unheralded Misbun Sidek of Malaysia upset top-seeded Prakash Padukone of India 12-15, 15-10, 15-5 Saturday and joined Icuk Sugiarto of Indonesia in the men's singles final at the Swedish Open Badminton Championships. Sugiarto downed England's Kevin Jolly 17-15, 15-3.

STOCKTON, England (AFP) — Top seeds Jahangir Khan of Pakistan and Geoff Britain's 23-year-old sprinter Harry King caused an early upset when he beat American Mel Lattany in the 60 meters. King's time 6.65 seconds clipped .03 of a second of the second of th four-year-old record held by Britan olympic champion Allan Wells.

Awad 9-2, 9-4, 10-9, while Hunt struggled to beat fellow-Australian Steve Bowditch 6-9. 9-3, 9-0, 3-9, 9-5,

NEW YORK, (AP) - Steve Kasper's 15th goal of the season broke the 1-1 tie as Boston Bruins hung on for a 4-3 win over Detroit Red Wings in the National Hockey League Saturday. In other actions, Quebec Nordiques scored a 9-3 triumph over Chicago Black Hawks, Minnesota North Stars provailed 3-2 over St. Louis Blues and Los Angeles Kings swamped New York Islanders

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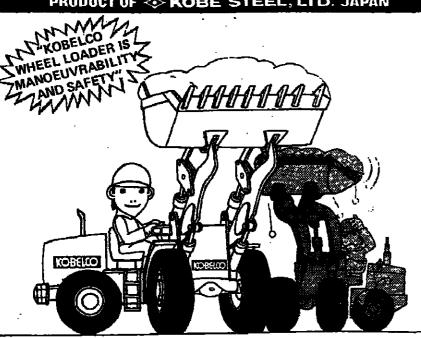
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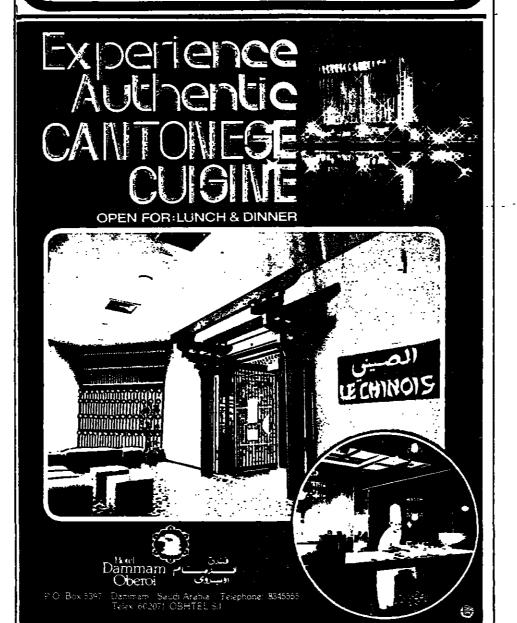
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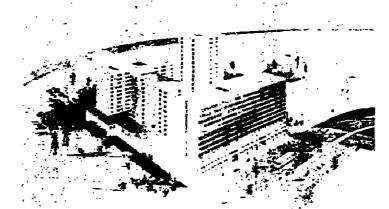
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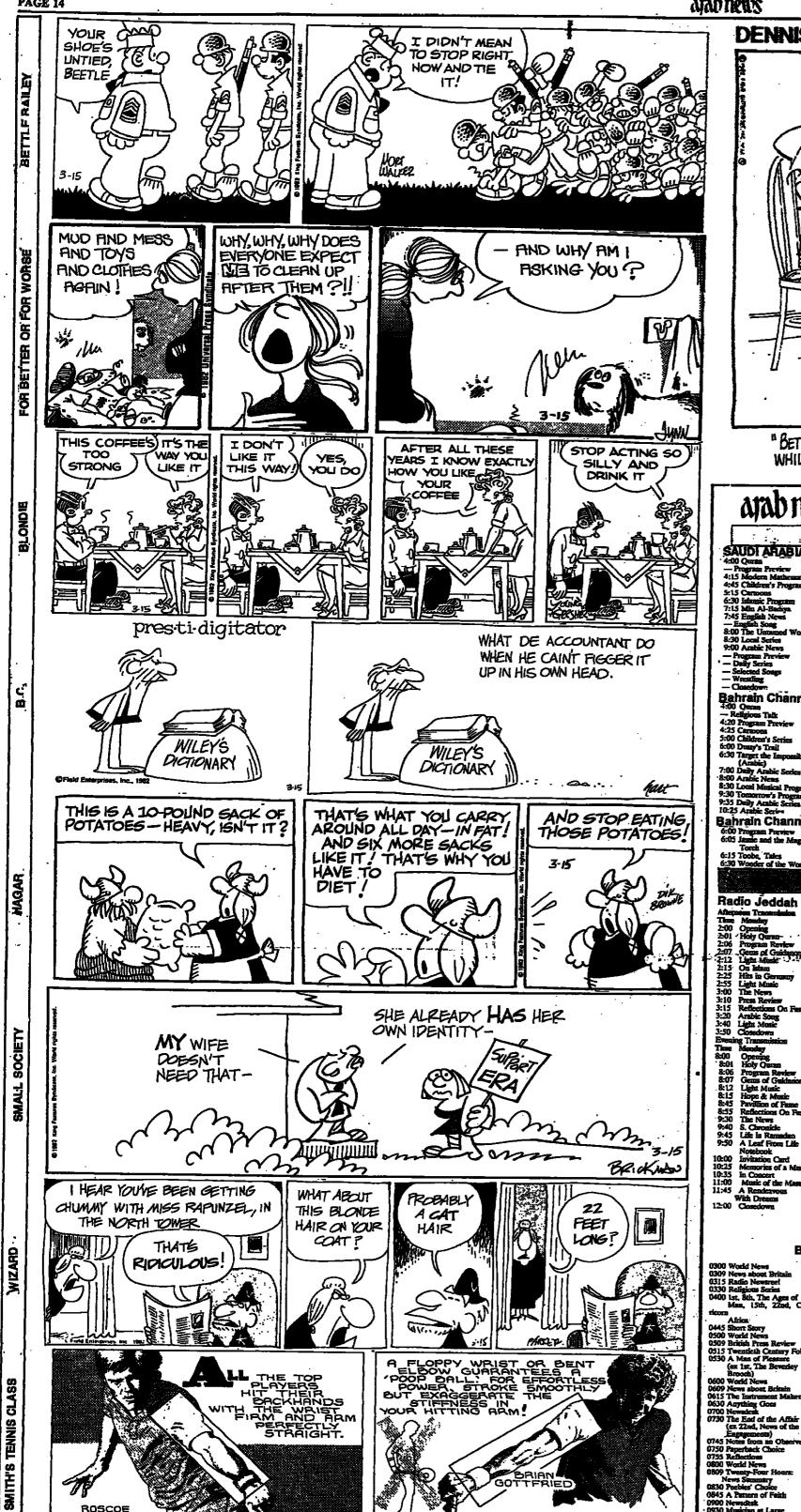
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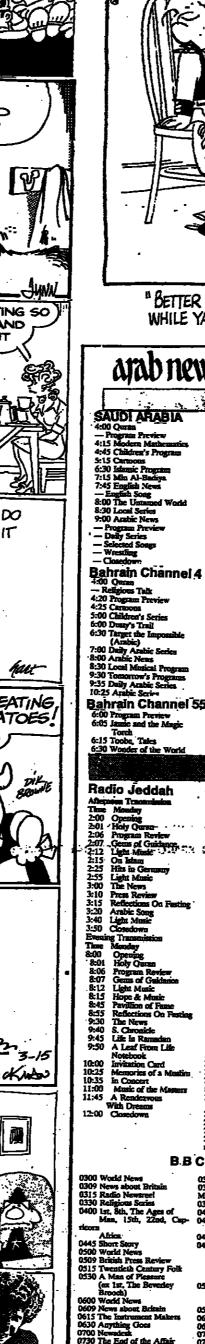
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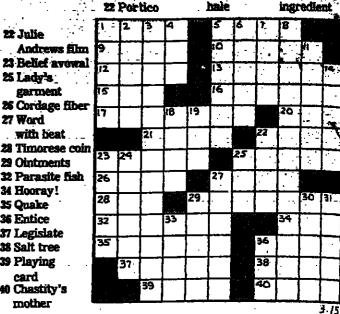
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Pass Dble Opening lead - six of spades.

This deal was played in the 1930's, which accounts for some of the bids that led to six clubs doubled. Declarer was Waldemar von Zedtwitz, New York star, whose name has been closely associated with virtually every facet of contract bridge from the time the game was invented in 1926 to this very day.

West led a spade, taken with the king, and East returned the jack of hearts Von Zedi-witz finessed the queen and played the three of clubs. When West played the dence; declarer played the four from dummy!

The finesse succeeded as seemed likely from the bidding, and from this point forward declarer had smooth sailing. He cashed the ace of hearts, led a diamond to dummy, ruffed a heart with the queen, led the seven of clubs and finessed the nine, ruffed dummy's last heart with the ace, and trumped a spade in

dummy. The K-J of clubs drew West's remaining trumps, and the A-K of diamonds won the last two tricks. Six clubs bid and made for 1,090 points!

Declarer could not have made the slam without the deep trump finesse at trick three. Finessing the four of clubs was by no means just a fancy play — it was absolutely essential.

West could have thrown a spanner into the works by playing the six of chibs at trick three instead of the deuce, but this does not diminish the luster of von Zedtwitz's play once he got the chance to finesse the four. Taking advantage of defensive lapses is an important part of the game.

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## Your Individual Horoscope

FOR MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1982

(Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You find excitement in connection with distant affairs. Expect some surprises, Your social life shouldn't lead to

outlandish behavior. TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Avoid minor money disputes with friends. You'll receive surprising news regarding an investment or credit. Close ties are extravagant.

(May 21 to June 20)

Expectations regarding a business matter may be too high. Don't show off in front of higher-ups. Loved ones display independence. CANCER

(June 21 to July 22) Extra work comes your way unexpectedly. Be more discriminating regarding leisure-time activities. Try to avoid extremes.

(July 23 to Aug. 22) 24 There may be a change in dating plans, and you may be extravagant regarding a purchase for the home. Inventiveness abounds! VIRGO 16/2

(Ang. 23 to Sept. 22) A person's say-so may not be enough. Get promises in writing. There'll be a surprise at home, perhaps unexpected company. LIBŘA

(Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You tend to be extravagant in the pursuit of pleasure. Don't waste time or money. Unexpected news arrives late in the morning.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) A domestic plan may not be practical, and may involve surprising expenses. It's a good time to buy stereos and electrical appliances. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

against you now. Others will not be impressed by your ostentation. Restlessness marks the evening hours. CAPRICORN

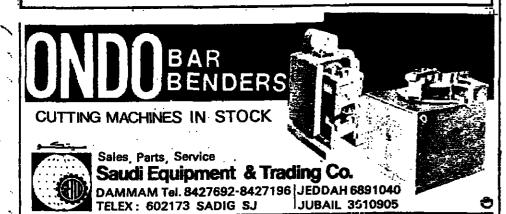
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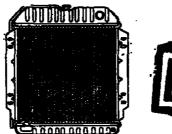


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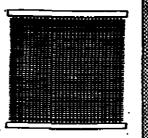
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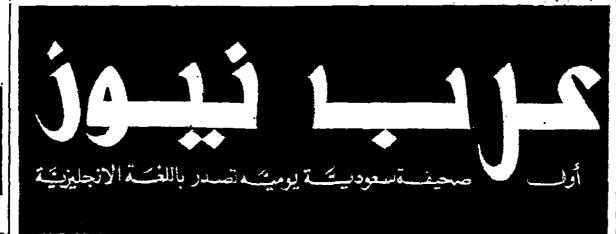
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# .S. 'planning' Salvador talks

NEW YORK, March 14 (R) - A senior administration official was quoted by The New York Times Sunday as saying talks were needed between the United States, the Soviet Union, Cuba and other Latin American countries to solve the El Salvador problem. In a Washington-datelined report, the Times quoted the official as saying Saturday: "We have to talk to the Russians. There are discussions that must be held."

The official said political, economic and security steps had to be taken which would influence thinking in Moscow, Cuba and Nicaragua. "It is a very complex mosaic of interrelated actions which must be consistent. credible and hopefully will ultimately bring a successful outcome," he added.

The report was published on the eve of

renewed talks in New York between Secretary of State Alexander Haig and Mexican Foreign Minister Jorge Castaneda on Mexico's proposals for greater contacts with Nicaragua and Cuba over El Salvador. The United States has accused both countries of

The U.S. official said the Reagan administration was determined to avoid the mistakes of Vietnam, which he said was treated as though it were just a local problem. He said the Reagan policy was to avoid such a trap and to treat El Salvador as a global problem.

"This means we have to harness, and we have, the full panoply of the political, economic and security assets of the United States to deal with this problem in Moscow, in

If U.S. rhetoric continues

# Nicaragua to buy MiGs

WASHINGTON, March 14 (AP) -'Nicaragua's ambassador to the United States, accusing the administration of President Ronald Reagan of threatening military intervention throughout Central America, says his country will import Soviet MiG jet fighter planes "if this verbal rhetoric continues."

The ambassador, Francisco Fiallos Navarro, said a U.S. infantry group based in Panama was sent to Costa Rica on March 9 with 24 helicopters and 60 paratroopers. "We don't know exactly what they are plan-Fiallos said in a TV interview scheduled for a Sunday program taped ear-

"We know some elements that lead us to think they are preparing something big in Central America," he said. "There is a possibility also of intervention in El Salvador because the elections in El Salvador are going to be held this month and we don't think the election will solve any problem."

Fiallos also charged that, despite Argentina's denial, Argentinians are in Honduras training counterrevolutionaries drawn from former Nicaraguan President Anastasio Somoza's national guard for possible attack on his country or El Salvador. Somoza, whose supported by the United States, was ousted by the Sandinistas in July

1979.. The ambassador said the Reagan administration is troubled by the current government in Nicaragua "because this supplying arms to leftist guerrillas fighting the U.S.-backed Salvadoran junta.

means a change, social change." Asked about reports that the United States may put together a force to use against Nicaragua or El Salvador, he said: "We know, for instance, that March 9, this month, there was a group of military men of the south command base that arrived in Costa Rica with 24 helicopters. Three of them are Huey-lowa type.

"It (the group) belonged to the infantry brigade No. 293, with 60 parachuters. Supposedly, they are in Costa Rica to get accustomed to Central American climate." That movement, he said, was one of "a lot of hints that we may be attacked at any moment."

Fiallos, who assumed his post in Washington a month ago, denied U.S. charges that the leftist Nicaragua government is building massive armed forces with help from the Soviet

He said his country has a 15,000-man militia only to repel outside intervention and has no navy or air force, except for two old training planes and two or three transport

Last week U.S. officials revealed photoaccuse Nicaragua of extending its airfields and taking other steps to accommodate Soviet jet fighters. Also Nicaragua has sent 50 pilots to Bulgaria for training on MiG fighters, the administration said.

# Ceausescu plans China visit

VIENNA, March 14 (R) - Romanian President Nicolae Ceausescu, the only Soviet bloc leader maintaining normal state and party relations with Peking, will visit China in the second half of next month, according to an official announcement in Bucharest.

It will be his fourth trip to China since 1964 and takes place as the Soviet Union is extending conciliatory peace feelers to its Communist foes in Peking. Romania, often noted for its independent stance, also seems to be moving closer to Moscow because of domestic economic problems. Western diplomats said it would be premature to conclude that these factors might have a bearing on the timing and purpose of Ceausescu's journey, described as an official visit of friendship. But they said the Romanian leader's con-

versations with Chinese leaders would be watched closely both in Moscow and Washington, whose relations with Peking are showing signs of strain because of moves to sell U.S. fighter planes to Taipei. An announcement by the official Romanian news agency Agerpres said Ceausescu was invited as Communist Party chief and state

His first trip to Peking in 1964 was thought to have been an attempt to mediate in the Sino-Soviet dispute which broke out publicly a few years earlier as an ideological quarrel that grew into a major split involving bitter border claims.

While Moscow's other allies joined the Kremlin in denouncing Chinese policies, he refrained from abuse and maintained normal contacts with Peking paying further visits in 1971 and 1978. His foreign minister Stefan Andrei was in China last June, following a visit by Prime Minister Ilie Verdet the previous December. Top Chinese officials have traveled to Romania.

Unspecified difficulties in economic and technical relations were disclosed during a meeting of a mixed economic commission in Peking last October but official reports also indicated that efforts were being made to improve this situation.

Poor long-term prospects for energy, food output and industrial development, compounded by difficulties in repaying Western debts, seem to have led Romania to turn more toward Comecon, the Soviet-led Communist trading group from which it has kept its distance over the past 20 years.

This gradual shift has been accompanied, Western diplomats say, by a more pro-Soviet attitude in foreign affairs where Romania has struck a more independent pose than any other Soviet ally. But Ceausescu, highly skilled in political tightrope walking, has not lost the non-conformist touch that makes him unique among Warsaw Pact leaders.

Alone among the Kremlin's allies, he last year commended "zero option" proposals by President Reagan for a mutual ban on medium-range missiles and appeared to imply that Moscow as well as Washington bore responsibility for a buildup of nuclear arsenal in Europe.

In a subsequent visit to Bucharest, Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko was believed to have reminded Ceausescu of his allegiance to his Soviet bloc partners. The Romanian leader may have gone some way to evening the score by telling another recent visitor, U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig, that U.S. economic sanctions against allied Poland might be counterproductive.

#### President tells Colombians to vote

BOGOTA, March 14 (R) - President Julio Cesar Turbay Ayala has tried to stir Colombian voters out of their traditional apathy for parliamentary elections Sunday held against a background of leftist guerrilla violence. "He who does not vote has no right to criticize what he could have changed. Bad governments are elected by the good citizens who do not vote," he said Friday night.

Leftist guerrillas have called on Colombia's 14 million electorate not to vote. Absenteeism has topped 60 percent in elections over the last 25 years. Intensive patrolling by Army and police troops was strengthened overnight by vehicle and personal search operations.

Plainclothes agents were posted to key office buildings including newspapers and international news agencies. Interior Minister Jorge Mario Eastman said calm prevailed throughout the country after a series of guerrilla actions during the runup to the elections which included a car-bomb attack against the

presidential palace last Wednesday. The leftist M-19 guerrilla group has vowed to disrupt polling to support demands for a total amnesty and lifting of a 30-year-old state of siege which would allow its members to organize legally. The guerrillas say the ruling liberals and conservatives are striving to maintain their unchallenged domination of Colombian politics since independence from

Spain in 1810. -The two parties, which compete for the presidency and Congress seats but share power in the cabinet and provincial governments, regard the poll as a primary election to determine their candidacies for the May 30

presidential contest. The conservatives have chosen Belisario Betancourt as their first unity candidate in 30 years, but the liberals will have to decide between the government-backed former President Alfonso Lopez Michelsen and dissident contender Luis Carlos Galan.

Havana, in the regional context, the Organization of American States, and in Salvador itself" he said.

In a separate front-page report, The New York Times said President Reagan had approved clandestine operations by the Central Intelligence Agency against what the administration describes as Cuban arms supply lines in Central America. The Times quoted administration officials and congressional sources as saying some covert actions had already begun, such as providing millions of dollars to progressive and left-of-center groups and individuals in several countries.

Others, such as a paramilitary operation against alleged arms supply routes from Nicaragua to El Salvador, were still being discussed with friendly Latin American governments, the report quoted officials as say-

ing.
in El Salvador, meanwhile, a violent week ended with the ambush of a Salvadoran Army convoy, while doubts about election prospects grew and the United States announced an expansion of its training program for Salvadoran soldiers.

According to army reports, guerrillas on Friday attacked a convoy of 80 soldiers and a number of farmers about 10 kms from Chalatenango, in the north of the country. As the convoy passed through Guancora, several road mines exploded and about "400 to 500" rebels opened fire, killing 29 persons and wounding 35, the reports said.

In Eastern Morazan province, the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front claimed responsibility for the destruction of Torola bridge and the resulting isolation of at

least eight villages.

Government anti-guerrilla operations continued with fierce fighting in the Cabanas region, and in San Miguel, where a week ago government efforts to expel guerrillas failed, it was reported that an entire family - parents and three children - had been machinegumed to death.

There were reports, too, that a rebel group had attacked and burned six dwellings in a crowded lower-class section of Tecoluca in eastern San Vicente province, and that a woman and two youths had been killed by gunfire.

In New York, United Nations Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar told reporters that free elections in El Salvador could only take place in "a propitious climate and atmosphere". Present violence prompts the question of whether "election results can be considered a true expression of the proples' wishes," he added.

Perez de Cuellar also said he favored the Mexican-French call for a negotiated settlement of the Salvadoran crisis. In Mexico, an exiled Salvadoran colonel of moderate political outlook appealed for negotiations between guerrillas and junta and the establishment of a nonaligned government -- "above all, not aligned with the Soviet Union."

## **Surinam appears** back to normalcy

PARAMARIBO, Surinam, March 14 (R) - Surinam's leftist military rulers appeared to be firmly back in control of the country Sunday after crushing a coup attempt by right-wing soldiers and executing the rebelleaders by firing squad.

Army strong man Lt. Col. Daysi Boutrese told a press conference that the rebel leader. Sgt. Maj. Wilfred Hawker, was shot at dawn Saturday after a trial. But informed sources said there was doubt that the 28-year-old Hawker ever appeared before a court. They added that Boutrese was evasive in responding to questions about the trial.

The colonel said in reply to a question that the trial began after the coup was launched Thursday morning and that it lasted all day. He gave no further details. Hawker was captured Friday after being badly wounded when loyal troops stormed Paramaribo's Memre Boekoe army barracks, held by the rebels who tried to seize power before dawn on Thursday.

# Greenlanders resent hobby expeditions

the focus of anger Saturday by Greenlanders who say they are tired of "hobby

it seems rather pointless," said a spokesoffice.

He said Greenland Prime Minister

He, and other Greenlanders, emphasized that if the Frenchmen get into trouble a rescue operation would call for the use of aircraft and other facilities needed in Greenland's own normal communications

and emergency preparedness system.

Gallisian could not be reached for members were isolated by a blizzard in a storage building on a rock above the town. "We are not going outdoors in this weather. We would have to crawl on all four to make it to the Frenchmen and get one of them to the telephone here," the station's duty officer said.

But Gallisian has conceded that the expedition has no scientific purpose. The trip would give France a stake in the prestige of having its national flag on the North Pole, although somewhat belatedly since Robert Peary planted the stars and stripes there in 1909.

Greenlanders tend to consider it all a 'publicity stunt" or a "media event". Gallisian's expedition includes a full TV crew and he has arranged coverage in French satellite-relayed television broadcast from the North Pole.

In Copenhagen, the Greenland Ministry gave the go-ahead for the expedition with "some misgivings".

# Zimbabwe MP

Nkomo's minority Zimbabwe African Peoples' Union in parliament, was detained Wednesday along with three top officials of

The office of Prime Minister Robert Mugabe announced in a statement Thursday the arrests of former ZAPU guerrilla chiefs Dumiso Dabengwa and Lookout Masuku and ZAPU protocol officer Swazini Ndlovu. The statement also said MP Ndlovu had been detained as well, but information department officials later deleted his name from the bulletin distributed to journalists.

Thursday's statement said Dadbengwa, former ZAPU security chief, and Masuku, former guerrilla commander and presently deputy commander of the Zimbabwe National Army, and Swazini Ndlovu were arrested in connection with arms caches unearthed last month from ZAPU-owned properties in Matabeleland.

Prime Minister Mugabe declared Feb. 17 that there were arms enough to equip an army and he dismissed Nkomo and three ministers from his coalition government for their alleged complicity in a coup plot. An undisclosed number of junior ZAPU officials were detained at the time and Mugabe vowed

# GODTHAAB, Greenland, March 14 (AP) — A French photographer planning a voyage to the North Pole this week was

Christian Gallisian and his team were planning to set out from the small east Greenland town of Scores by Sunday or Monday on a motorized expedition across the Greenland icecap. "But the whole thing leaves us a bit wondrous considering man of the Greenland trade department

Ionathan Motfeldt has spoken out against 'hobby expeditions." "We have nothing against expeditions devoted to research and science, but this thing appears to be a rather dubious prestige project," Motfeldt said on a radio newscast.

comment. He and his seven expedition

# held in coup plot

SALISBURY, Zimbabwe March 14 (AP) - A second member of parliament has been detained under emergency powers for alleged complicity in a coup attempt, The Sunday Mail newspaper reported.

Akim Ndlovu, one of 20 MPs of Joshua Zapu.

to bring other 'wrongdoers' to trial.

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BONN, March 14 (R) — A U.S. delega-tion led by Undersecretary of State James Buckley arrived in Bonn Sunday on a mission designed to stiffen Western sanctions against the introduction of martiel law in Poland. A spokesman for the American Embassy

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said Buckley and five or six senior U.S. offi-cials will hold talks with Foreign Ministry officials Monday on the future of East-West trade and Western credits to the East bloc.

Buckley will meet Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher before the delegation leaves Bonn for talks later in the week in London Paris, Rome and Brussels, The Embassy spokesman said the U.S. delegation would make no statements on the discussions before returning to Washington.

The United States is hoping to strengthen what it regards as Western Europe's halfhearted Western sanctions over Poland, and President Reagan is delaying a decision over new U.S. measures until Buckley reports back on talks. West European diplomats say the United States appears to have given up attempts to persuade West Germany, France, Italy and other Western countries to pull out of a controversial multibillion-dollar deal to import vast quantities of Siberian gas.

But Western officials say the American administration is now trying to make it tougher for Communist states to borrow hard currency. Washington believes loans on easy terms issued to Moscow by West Europeans help the Kremlin divert scare hard currency reserves to armaments.

U.S. concern is now focused on the \$10 billion West European banks plan to invest to help build the 4,500-kms pipeline to carry the gas from the Soviet Union. But it is still possible Reagan, who has

aiready banned domestically based U.S. companies from supplying equivalent for the pipeline, will attempt to delay the project by banning supplies from U.S. subsidiaries in Europe as well. U.S. assistant secretary for international

affairs, Marc Leland, who will take part in the Europeantalks, said in London Friday the West has extended too much credit to the Soviet Union from both economic and politiints of view. West German conservative leader Franz

Josef Strauss left Munich Sunday for a sixday visit to the United States. His talks with President Reagan and other U.S. officials are also expected to cover the Siberian pipeline and sanctions on the Soviet Union. Strauss urged the West, in a newspaper

interview published Sunday, to stop supplying credits for the "economic rearmament of East bloc countries. "I am not in favor of ending East-West

trade, but in view of the devastating debts of the East we must return to the principle of cash and carry." Strauss told the popular con-servative Bild Am Sonntag. "Humanitarian help, yes, economic rearmament of bankrupt regimes, no."

He differred with U.S. opposition to the gas deal with the Soviet Union, under which West German will buy an annual 10.5 billion

because of the danger of dependence on the Soviet Union. American opposition to the project would be more credible if the United States were to halt grain supplies to the Soviet

## Poles beat curfew curbs

WARSAW. March 14 (AFP) - Young Poles have discovered how to avoid running the 11 p.m. gauntlet of police out to catch Warsaw curfew breakers. Parties are now held from this "hour of the militia" until 5 next morning. Hosts who have the room invite their friends at more conventional hours, but provide space for their sleeping

Theaters and cinemas have avoided the curfew by bringing programs forward, For some people the curiew has proved a blessing in disguise. One Foreign Ministry official living in the old city center is delighted to no longer be kept awake at all hours of the night by revelers.

"And I don't have to worry about my 20year-old daughter coming home late," he said, adding, "I also have a good excuse to throw out her friends when they overstay their welcome.'

The curfew has also given rise to a new privileged class: Those in possession of the prized pass allowing them out at night. One bonus is that these night people are the first in the queue when the shops open. But for the average citizen 11 p.m. often means a mad rush to get home before the deadline.

costly one, with fines ranging from 600 to 5,000 zlotys (\$6.25 to 62.5) --- a substantial amount when the average Pole came and 8,000 zlotys a mouth. Those who cannot be might even be sent to jail. So each eyening, as the clocks strike 11,

Many do not make it. The offense is a

hundreds of multicolored cars, packed to the seams, race infough the streets owners home on time.

#### U.K. blaze spares kids

LONDON, March 14 (AP) - Forty-seven schoolchildren aged 8 to 12, visiting London from Sheffield, escaped a fire which gutted the five-story Shelavin Hotel near Victoria railroad terminus early Sunday.

London fire brigade said there were no. fatalities. Two children and six adults were treated in Westminster Hospital for injuries and smoke inhalation.

The brigade said most of the children were led from the hotel before the brigade got there. One 11-year-old boy who leapt from the fourth floor to escape the flames, fell on the roof of an extension building and broke his arm. Two other children were plucked to safety by firefighters on extension ladders.

